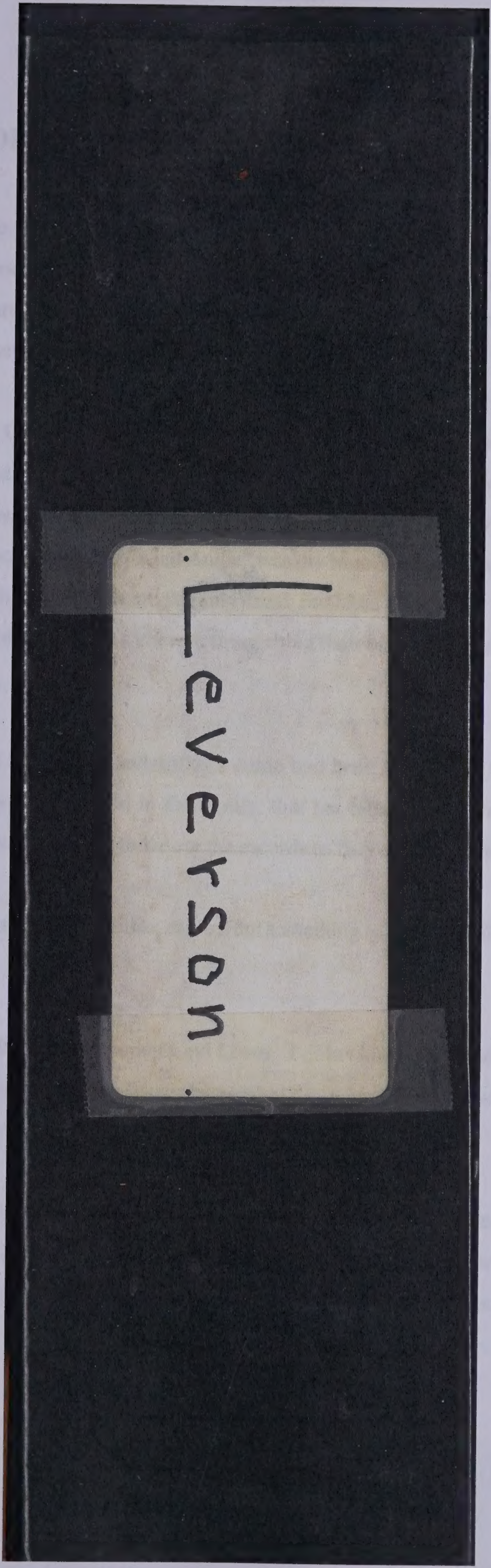

Leverson

RKF CHRONOLOGY OF RESEARCH INTO LEVERSON FAMILY

In order to help anyone else understand my research into the Leverson family, it seems important to establish a chronology of what I knew when, and the steps along the path to what we know about this family today. So, to start, going back **before 1987**, when we first started our research, here are some of the things that I remember I knew about the Leverson family:

I knew my Grandpa Leverson, of course; that his name was Albert Henry; that he had been named Henry Albert and had changed the order of those names at some time in his life; that he had a whole lot of children. I was sort of aware of some of them but not aware of others. I knew that Annie Evers-- a lady I knew al through my childhood and called "Aunt Annie",was my Mom's cousin, maybe even that she was Uncle Charley's daughter. A few things like that stuck in my mind, but I had a very poor sense of exactly who all his children were. I knew a lot of names, but I knew nothing about their birth order, or where they were born, and very little about the people.

I knew that my great-grandmother's name had been Kari, and I thought her last name was Laude--that's what I had always been told in the family; that her father was a man named Anders Laude; I thought her mother's name was Andrine; those are the records as they are in the Jackson court house records.

I knew they all, both families, came from something called the Hallingdal which I thought was a county in Norway.

I knew I had a relative named Levi Levor. I didn't know just who he was, but that he was a relative. I remembered his funeral in Odin (described on ~~his RIN~~ in his Individual History). He lived somewhere away from Minnesota and came back to Odin to be buried; I didn't know where he fit.

I knew that my great-grandfather's name was Herbrand and that he had changed that name to be called Herbert sometime later in his life. I knew that he had part of his nose bitten off (a story I also documented in his ~~RIN~~ History). I guess I knew that he died in Jackson and I think I had seen some record of his death.

In 1987, when we (Jeff & I) were in Jackson for my 45th high school reunion, we ~~had done~~ did Some research into the Leversons, and got~~ten~~ some information & documents. Among those was an obituary for my Great-Grandmother Kari Leverson & one for my Grandfather Albert Leverson. I never found one at that point for Herbrand. I think I had documentation of some research into his death. At that time we went through the family records and collected a fair amount of information about many members of my family: Kings, Rovangs, Husebys, etc., but not a whole lot on the Leversons.

Another bit of research that I had been able to do, with a lot of help from cousin Betty Fredricksen, was to put together names to go with all the faces on the big family photograph that Mother and I ~~had~~ had copies made of for everyone in the family some years before Mom died. It was obviously a photograph of a family reunion on the Leverson farm, done in 1909 or 1910, when my Grandmother Sigrid was still alive. It was all the cousins, aunts and uncles and, as it turned out, grandparents. Betty was just great! She gave me a list of names & locations of all the people on the photograph. I think she got help from Aunt Hazel; I don't know where she did all her research, but she documented all the names. She had sorted some out and I had sorted some out, so I had them all in sort of family clusters. I knew the people who were there, and was able to get the individual families pretty well lined up. I didn't know what to do with the information, though, because I didn't know where to put all these people.

As I think back now, it was then, while I was going through the Jackson County birth records that I found the name Martin Lande, who I thought might be a family member. I wasn't sure how and he was a much more current generation, contemporary with me, but I wrote that down, thinking that at some time it might be useful.[See Lande records for specific data about him]

That was also when I got documentation (in the Jackson birth records) of Aunt Helen's and Uncle George's birth. He was recorded as George Kanelius Herbrandsen; Helen as Helene Gurine Herbrandsen, and their father as Albert Herbrandsen. That was the first clue I had had that the name had not always been Leverson.

Our serious research into the Leverson family began in June of 1990, when we made our first major research trip, starting in Jackson, where we obtained a number of records. One of these was the Minnesota census for 1885, specifically for Kimball Township, in the county of Jackson. On that census, family #2 was listed as Herbernd Leversen, by that time age 53; his wife Caroline, 54; Levi, 29; Julia, 23;

Charles, 21; Austin, 18; Helen,16; Tilda, 13; & Helmer, 11. The very next family listed was Albert Leverson, 24; his wife Sarah, & their children, Helen, age,2,& George, 10 months.

Both of the above illustrate that Norwegian immigrant families at this point were extensively changing and anglicizing their names in the civil records, but they usually faithfully kept the old names and patterns in the church records. Both families were now called Leverson (although Herbrand still used the Norwegian "sen" for son, and Albert had switched to the "son" (now so common); Levor had become Levi; Kari was Caroline; Sigrid was Sarah, and so on.

Also on the 1990 Jackson trip, we had obtained copies of a good many land records for both Herbrand & Albert, so we had a good idea of where their farms were; we had traced almost all of the graves & had recorded all the information on the tombstones. All of that was part of our much more careful & painstaking research approach which started in 1990.

After leaving Jackson, Jeff and I for the first time visited Gerhard Naeseth, the Norwegian genealogist for the Genealogical Center of Westerheim [the Norwegian American Genealogical Museum] at the Univ. of Wisconsin in Madison [the museum itself is located in Decorah, Iowa]. Mr. Naeseth is an elderly man widely considered to be the dean of Norwegian genealogists. He has for years been writing a definitive history of Norwegian immigrants to this country, a project that will hopefully be finished and published soon.

I sat with him not more than a half hour in his tiny cubbyhole of an office way back behind all the stacks in the University library, where he does his incredible research with a staff of two people in a space about 10' by 10', lined with books & film machines & stacks of records neatly filed.

My goal at that point was to try to find out more about the Leversons and what I thought were the Laudes. The first thing he said to me was that he knew the name was not Laude, but was Lande, and that there was a farm in the Hallingdal by that name. He said he was pretty sure that he knew who they were because he was doing research for his book at that point on the Koshkonong settlement. (That was the first time I had ever heard of the Koshkonong settlement.) He pulled some index cards out of a file and documented for me at that moment that these were indeed my great-great-grandparents; that my great-great-grandfather's name was Anders Helliksen Lande; and that my great-great grandmother's name was Berit Uliksdatter Unneberget. I wrote down the birth dates and places and their parents' names that he had recorded on a 3x5 card; the ship

they came on and the year they emigrated here from Norway. That was a pretty exciting half hour!

At the same time he told me that finding Leverson was not nearly as hard as I thought it would be because Levor was a very uncommon name in Norway other than in one particular area in the Hallingdal, and that there were a great many Levors there. At that point he pulled out a microfilm of what I now know was the Nes-in-Hallingdal parish record. Amazingly quickly he pinpointed what he was almost certain was my family, which was the first time I heard the name Levor Herbrandsen; and that the name of the family farm was Mylie. (In the christening record it was spelled Mhli). Sure enough, there in the record was Herbrand, my Great-Grandfather, being born to Levor Herbrandsen, Myli, and Guro Christiansdatter. (Jeff at this point pointed out that Aunt Helen's middle name, Gurine, may be related to her grandmother's name, Guro. My great-great-grandmother's name was Guro; her mother's name was Guri; and we wondered if there was a tradition of giving girls different variations on the same name.)

We went then to Jackson, where I did some more work on sorting out the Herbrand Leverson children's names. I got pretty clear about who they were; took some names out of the family that I had there; added some others in, and wound up again using Kari's obituary, which lists the nine surviving children at the time of her death.

I knew there was a son named Austin who had died at some point, and I got some documentation on that in Jackson Co. I discovered that some of the children were born in Minnesota and some in Wisconsin, as the family had lived in Wisconsin for some years.

I had a fair amount of information to work on and I built some Family Group Records around Albert and Herbrand. I also became sure at that time that the man I knew as Levi Levor was indeed Herbrand's son, not his brother. Partly I knew that because I was beginning to understand the naming patterns (the first son is named for the father's father, the second son for the mother's father, the same with daughters' names,etc.) Once I knew Herbrand's father's name was Levor it became obvious that Levi was named for his grandfather [Note: Levi is also an anglicized name. Gerhard Naeseth is adamant that the name Levi is never used in Norway].

At that point also, I tried to find out when Herbrand might have come to this country. Mr. Naeseth went back to the microfilm & looked through the immigration records, but we were not sure who we

were looking for or when he might have come to the USA. The theory both of us were working on was that he most likely had come here as a young adult. We found no one with his name. Mr. Naeseth said that sometimes single male adults had slipped through immigration with no record, and that was at that time his best suggestion. I wasn't very satisfied with that idea, but it was all I could do at that point.

I knew that my Grandfather Albert Leverson was born in a town called Spring Valley, Wisconsin. Mr. Naeseth knew of the early Norwegian settlement there, and he gave us very careful directions for getting to Spring Valley, including how to find the Norwegian Lutheran Church & turn left, etc.--very specific directions to the little town by that name which is near Minneapolis. Jeff & I drove there, went as directed to the U of Wisconsin center, and found zero records of any Herbrandsens **OR** any Leversons in that area.

We had just about given up, because there were no vital statistics in this otherwise very complete Wisconsin genealogy center of any Leversons. Even so, Jeff insisted on looking through the Index of the 1860 Wisconsin Census for anyone named Leverson, where, to both our amazement, he found an Albert Leverson in Spring Valley, Rock Co., which is on **the other side of the state**. So, in other words, Albert WAS born in Spring Valley, but not the one that is on the current map. It is now Spring Valley Township, Rock Co., which is right near Janesville. This Spring Valley, ours, if you will, had been a town at the time of the 1860 census, but has long since been folded into being a township. So, in fairness to Mr. Naeseth, the town he knew by that name is the right one today, the one on the Wisconsin map, and he obviously didn't know about the older one. [An interesting historical note is that, in 1991, when we returned to Wisconsin, Mr. Naeseth and his staff had gone a lot further in their own research & were very aware of the Spring Valley in Rock Co.. Also interesting was they they either didn't realize or were unwilling to acknowledge that this was information they had not had a year before, that indeed they had given us a bum steer. I'd be willing to bet that, like all active researchers, they were simply a bit lost in their own discoveries. Another illustration of why I am making these notes!]

I should add here that by this time we had done a lot of research on the Rovangs and the Husebys, which had given me a real appreciation of how little attachment the Norwegians had to any particular name at that point. You could feel them searching out naming patterns for themselves in this new country. Sometimes they would use their patronymics; sometimes variations on their first names for a last name; sometimes they used the farm name. You really couldn't figure out who anybody was unless you knew all their possible names. Knowing that was a great help ~~by this time.~~

Jeff then went to the 1860 Census for Rock Co. and pulled out two sheets for the town of Spring Valley. The listed names he had pinpointed were Abraham Leverson, age 33, farmer; Caroline, his wife, age 30; Levor, age 5; Caroline, age 4; & Albert, age 1. At the time I remember I said, well, pooh pooh, Abraham is ridiculous; that's obviously not my relative, etc., etc.. As I looked again at the ages, however, and at the names, especially the two boys; and the relationship to what I knew about my family, it became apparent that these were indeed my Leversons; that Abraham was Herbrand. At first I thought that name could be attributed to the notorious difficulty census takers had with names and accuracy; that perhaps to a non-Norsk, Herbrand would sound like Abraham fairly easily. Caroline was obviously an anglicized Kari; Levor made sense; Caroline, again, was probably their daughter Clara, & Albert was my grandfather, one year old at that point. X (I later discovered that Herbrand actually used the name Abraham for a brief period before he settled on Herbert.

Then, in what I thought was another leap of logic Jeff was making, he brought me a second sheet for the same census, where there was listed a person he assured me could be my Great-Grandfather, because, lo & behold, there on the sheet was listed Levor Hendricksen, farmer, age 59; his wife Margaret, 46, & their children, Hendrick Levorsen, Tollef Leverson, Canute, Isabella, Margaret, Henry,. He thought there was a possibility this was the family of my great-great-grandfather. Once again I said pooh pooh, that's nonsense, I know they never came here that far back, etcetera. [Actually, this family turned out **not** to be my great-grandparents, but we know who they are, they are family, and the basic point, that my great-great-grandparents may have been in this country was accurate.]

The next step in the process was to go back & record all this in the word processor, which had given me much more complete records than before but had also highlighted some very apparent gaps. Mr. Naeseth sent me his documentation on the Landes when I got home, and I added that into my records. He had told me when I was there in 1990 that he was working on Volume 3 of his book and that a great deal of information about these families would be included in that book. Unfortunately, he was very uncertain about the time of publication. In the meantime, the good news was that he was currently working on these particular families (i.e., the Landes), and so he had the information at hand to share with me.

In May, 1991, the next step in my research was when I flew to Salt Lake City to take part in an Elderhostel Advanced Scandinavian Genealogy workshop. We were encouraged from the beginning of the workshop to concentrate on one family thoroughly rather than go after a lot of little bits & pieces; that we

would learn more & get much more out of the process. There was no doubt in my mind that of all my Norwegian ancestors, the Leversons were the ones I knew the least about, and my stated goal for the week was to learn all that I could about the Leversons. During that week I was able to document an incredible amount of further information about my Leverson family. The focus of the workshop was entirely on the families in Norway; there was no research, and no time for me on an independent basis to go back to another floor where I could have done some research on the family in this country. In fact that didn't even occur to me, I was so busy. I worked at least 10 to 12 hours a day the whole week I was there, two hours a day in class and the rest of the time poring over micro-fiche & microfilms and all the various records available and learning just an amazing amount about how to do research, specifically about my Leverson family. I brought back voluminous data, and within two weeks of my return home all of my Family Group Records were up to date, and all the data I gleaned in Salt Lake City had been documented to that date

Then, on **June 22, 1991**, I recorded the following:

We are just finishing here in Wisconsin. The information we've gathered and the knowledge about the Leverson family &and the Lande family that we gathered in this short period of 4 or 5 days is just awesome. Not to be overly obsessive, but to try to lay this out in some kind of order, I've put down roughly what we've gotten on each of those days.

Monday morning, we presented ourselves at the Rock Co. Court house in Janesville pretty close to 8 AM, when it opened, and we did our usual team approach to what we were doing. Namely, Jeff tackled the Land Records and I went to the Civil Records, the vital statistics of marriage, birth and death. We spent most of that day going through all those records.

Starting with the birth and death records, what was interesting was what we did not find. I had information on specific birth dates for the Leverson children and the Landes. I found none of them in the early records, which start in 1852. That's an extremely misleading date because the earliest records are so sketchy; they are almost entirely a record of one particular family & nothing else. There were huge gaps & inconsistencies until they [literally] glued it all together in 1863. From then on they seem to be quite complete. I copied down whatever I could find.

When I got to the Marriage Record, one of the things that interested me was a wedding

recorded in the first book between a man whose name meant nothing to me and a woman whose name was Aase Levorsdatter Mylie, which startled me because I knew that was my great-great-great-grandmother's name from the [old Norwegian church] records I had found in Salt Lake City. So the name just stuck right out at me. Then, when I looked at the date of her birth I could see that it was not her, but it was very likely to be someone in the family, so I copied that down.

To my amazement I did not find Herbrand and Kari's wedding record, which was fixed in my mind as something I had known for a long time took place in Spring Valley, yet it was not there. In the marriage records, I did also find a number of interesting things. One of them was a wedding certificate that I had copied for Herbrand Herbrandsen, who I later realized was indeed my great-great-grandfather's brother. There were other weddings I thought might be significant at some point, and I copied down everything I thought could possibly have any relationship to me.

I was a bit disappointed that, except for those two major finds, I had found nothing. When I thought about it, however, I realized that, if Kari & Herbrand had not been married in Spring Valley, it made sense to me that the Landes had also not lived in Spring Valley, and that we would find her marriage record where her parents had lived, most likely in Dane Co.. From what I knew by that time about the short interval between her wedding date and the birth of her first child, there was a good likelihood that he would also have been born in her mother's home, where she would have been under her mother's care. Chances were that this young, very pregnant bride had stayed with Momma until the baby was born--at least, that was my working theory.

Under burials, I found the next startling thing, which was that there was a burial for Levor Herbrandsen Mylie, age 40, 22 Sep 1846. That's the first that I knew that my Levorsen great-great-grandfather had probably been in this country after all!

Meanwhile, Jeff had been combing the land records, and had sure enough discovered that Levor Herbrandsen had a patent on land. A plat map showed exactly where that land was. The next thing we did, as we love to do, was make a trip to see the land itself, to get the feel of the specific place where our ancestors lived. We drove off through beautiful, quite heavily wooded, rolling hills. [See also JGF note on this land in the Levorsen notes.] We took some photographs, and we had a very good sense of just where they were. It was really quite pretty, except we were struck with how darned hard it was to farm, with both the hills and the

heavy growth of trees to clear.

I also spent a great deal of time, several hours, on Monday, going through the official volumes of naturalization papers. The staff person took me down to a basement vault. There was a kind of primitive employee's coffee room nearby, but otherwise it was totally removed from any sign of life. The woman who took me down there warned me to leave by at least a quarter of five so I didn't get locked in the basement, because no one would know I was there, so it was obvious that no one was ever going to come back and find me, and Jeff at this point didn't even know where I was. With more enthusiasm perhaps than common sense, I spent several hours climbing up on a rickety stool and reaching as high as I could reach to get down the enormous, dust-laden earliest volumes which were the ones in which I was going to find my ancestors, hoping all the while that I not fall and lie on the floor for hours until Jeff might think to come & find me. All in all it was another interesting genealogical adventure.

I made a number of finds there. The most thrilling one was my great-great grandfather's Certificate of Intent to Naturalize. (Copy in file.) What was so exciting about it was first, that I now knew just when he came to America; second, that he emigrated from the Port of Drummond [Drammen], which I had previously thought was in Sweden but now discovered was in the fylke of Buskerud in Norway, close to the Mylie farm where he lived. I also learned the day and month they sailed and the month they arrived in New York City. One of the things that was so thrilling about it was that all around me almost none of the certificates were signed with a signature, but with a mark or a seal, and here was this beautiful signature that he obviously had written himself, as had his brother Ole, who came after him. [By this time I somehow knew that he had a brother Ole and a brother Herbrand]. Whether they could write anything else I don't know, but they certainly could write their names with a flourish.

At this point we went over to the Wisconsin State Historical Society and began to examine the oldest Probate Records. Jeff came up with some incredible data about the probate of Levor Herbrandsen, and in that not only was there documentation of the land he had owned, but the date of his death and the names of all **six** of his children and some of their spouses, as well as the fact that his wife Guro had survived him. [Copies in file]. Once again, we got an impressive amount of information from the probate [just as Gerry Haslin, my instructor in Salt Lake City had told me I would if I just examined them carefully. From now on, Gerry, we will never forget that, I promise!]

There were no probate records in the whole collection of Rock County records for Leversons or Landes. There were a couple of Levers, which I was pretty sure were not ours. Two Levi Levers, and from what I knew about the family at that point, I was quite certain they were not ours. There were three Herbrandsens, one called Lavora, which may well have been Levorsen, in fact we think it was ours. But that file, which was one of the earliest files, was empty when we got to it, and not a clue could be found about its contents. There were probate records on Hendricksens, and I have not recorded before that we have accumulated a lot of information on Hendricksens. They came from Mylie at the same time, and the same names run through both families: Levor, Hendrick, Christian--there seems to be good reason to believe these people are also part of our family, but I'm not sure at this point where they fit. We do have a lot of information about them in our files, probably more than we ever needed to know, but there it is in case we ever want to look for it.

Tuesday morning we were back in the court house. Jeff went to the Probate Records while I went to clean up the civil records. I had missed or been confused by a number of things.

(There is a gap in the recording here) I do know who that Canute is. He almost has to be the son of Christian Levorsen, grandson of Levor. Christian Levorsen was one of Levor Herbrandsen's children. His son Canute is the Canute I have recorded, whose probate record I have, after he died in 1893. Canute is also the grandson with whom Guro lived.

While Jeff was going through the probate records, I spent some time going through an old history book on Rock County. I found a very small reference to a place called Borints, where the EMMIGRANTEN, a Norwegian newspaper, had been printed. We looked for that on a township map. We found it right near Orfordville, very near the land Levor had owned. What was even more interesting was that we noted there was a Norwegian Lutheran Church right there. Levor's land was right on the edge of Christiana Township, and the adjacent township was Plymouth Township. It looked as though this church was in Plymouth, and it looked to be the closest one to their farm, the one they would most likely have gone to.

So we started off on another field trip, and we drove to Borints. We came to a big old house that looked very much as though it might have been a church at some point, kind of a big old steeple-like prominence on its roof. It was part of a tiny little settlement, probably four or five houses on a crossroad that seemed to be Borints. We drove in the driveway and found a nice young mother and her two little daughters,

all of whom were just as bright and cheery as they could be. She told us that their home had once been a parsonage. One of the things I had noticed in many of the records I'd been finding was that, when Levor's daughters had been married, they were married in a parsonage in Plymouth. It seemed plausible that this was indeed the place where they had been married, and that there had not been a church at that time. At this point, the young mother we were talking to said, "Well, you should go to the old Norwegian church that's just up the road". She said she knew the minister lived right next door, and chances were we would find something there.

So, again, in one of those amazing twists that make genealogy such fun, we drove probably a quarter of a mile across the townnship line from Plymouth County into Newark, and there was this small, nice, not terribly old Norwegian church, a cemetery across the street from it, with some obviously very old markers in it. A woman preparing a room for the Ladies Aid Society meeting told us that Pastor Berg was out of town for a week, the secretary was out to lunch, and we would have to wait. While we waited we went over to the old cemetery, where we found a couple of interesting stones. One of them I wrote down in some detail and made a sketch, although it turned out later that it was not one of ours. [I knew at that point the name of Aase Levorsdatter's husband, and this was a stone for a man by the same name, Gutto Olsen, with the farm name Roen. That was interesting to me because the farm name seemed familiar, so I copied it down it some detail.] The stone that was most interesting was one which said, in Norwegian, "Here under God or under heaven was a son, Knud Leverson, born 5 Aug 1842, died 19 Sep 1865, 23 years & 44 days. I was almost positive that this was Levor Herbrandsen's son.

By this time the secretary had reappeared. Sure enough, as we have found so often on these searches, when the civil records were non-existent, somebody was copying everything down. She went immediately to a huge old safe in her office, opened it up and took out the original church books dating back to when the church was started in 1846. The first book indicated that this was the Luther Valley Church, founded in 1846, and the first record went from 1846 to 1856. The first item in it was a register of people as they joined the church. It was an alphabetical index. It was absolutely thrilling to go through that index because there they were--one after the other. Under A was Aase Levorsdatter, Pige [means girl], and the dates when she, later on the others, either were confirmed or joined the church. Under C was Christian, Bachelor {in Norwegian}, and so on. I recorded all the information about them, and it is in their files.

It would be hard to decide what was the most interesting thing I found, there was so much and it was all such a marvelous discovery. Most important was the confirmation of my grandfather's birth and

baptism and that of his older sister and the next several siblings. We did not confirm as many of them as we had thought we would. Some of the ones we had thought were born in Wisconsin, and indeed that the census records said were born in Wisconsin, were not there, and we still don't know where we are going to find them. It's obvious that there was another move, or some other reason we can't justify at this point for why those children are not recorded in these birth records.

Certainly one of the most interesting finds was confirmation of Levor Herbrandsen's death and burial. He was the seventh burial of that church. The first six were infants anywhere between a day old and 6 or 7 months old. Almost all were babies under a year old, except for a couple who were 2 or 3 year old children, but all very little. He was the first adult to be buried in that cemetery. All of them had died within the same period of about a week, and they had obviously stacked the bodies up for a few days while they waited for the pastor to come, so that he and the babies were all buried at the same time. I think that's rather nice. We were also able to confirm the death records for the Knud Leversen whose stone we had seen in the cemetery. We are sure he was indeed our Knud, son of Levor, who died at the age of 23.

We then went back again to the cemetery to see if we could determine where Levor was buried. The old part of the cemetery has been beautifully reconstructed , but it was not done chronologically. Interestingly enough, and very attractive to view, what they had done was to gather up scattered fragments of old tombstones and put them back together with new concrete bases neatly spaced out across the front of the cemetery. It seemed a nice way to honor those old stones and the people buried there. What you can see, then, is the site where Levor was buried, with tombstones of that time laid out, but not necessarily in the right order. At any rate, there was no stone that had any markings whatever that indicated it was his. We left there with a peaceful certainty that he was indeed buried right in that spot.

After completing our fascinating search of those records, we drove back to Janesville and went to the public library, where we began to look through old census records. There we found several interesting things.

In the 1850 Wisconsin census we found what I was sure, although I wasn't sure why, was my Great-Great-Grandmother Guro, who seemed to be married to a man named John Johnsen. She was listed as Guro Johnsen. Under her name were two Johnsen children, Tulef (Sic), and Julia, ages 8 & 19; then 6 children whose last name was given as Lewison, and their names were Helbran, Christian, Knut, Osey, Julia, & Yugbo!! The poor old census taker really lost it at that point-- I am sure this is Ingebor. but she is also listed as

male! She is the only person it could be, because everybody else is there, it's the right age, and I'm sure they didn't have anybody named Yugbo, whatever else they did. That was all we found in the 1850 census, but a very important find.

In the 1860 census, I found nothing. The only thing of any interest at all was Levor Hendricksen, and I neglected to write down anything about him, so I just know there was someone there by that name, not necessarily any relationship to us. (Jeff reminded me that we had zeroxed those pages, so we do have the information)

In the 1870 census, at the top of the page, was a woman named Guro Leverson, age 72, keeping house, and living with Knute Leverson, age 26, farmer. I am sure thsat is my Guro, widowed again and living with her grandson Knute, son of Christian. I also found Henry Hendricksen again with all his family. Next door I found Ole Levorsen, with 2 children. Then I found a Knut Hendricksen, who may or may not have anything to do with us; and a Henry Hendricksen; and those are the only people I found under that census.

In the 1880 census we find Knud Lever, with his wife Caroline, son Levi, daughter Julie, daughter Clara, son Thomas--and Guro, aged 79, mother. There again, I am sure, is Guro, grandmother of Knute, still living with her grandson & his family. Jeff & I noticed at this point that this Knute, both in the 1870 & 1880 census, we had both times recorded as born in Norway. I don't know how that is possible, because the Knut Leverson we know, who was born in Norway, died at 23, and I am quite sure this is Christian's son, born in the United States. We will have to clear up that mystery. For now, my working theory is that this is indeed the Knute that I know and that this is my Guro, widowed a second time, living with him.

So, after a thorough search of the census records, we had some important additional gaps. One of them is the last one detailed above. Another is that we found nothing about Anders Helliksen Lande, or about any other Leversons. But we felt we had done everything we could, so we drove to Madison, had a good dinner in a nice restaurant and went--very tired--to bed.

Wednesday morning we got up, and the first thing we did was go to the University of Wisconsin campus in Madison. We both went to the Historical Society, but with a phone call I confirmed that Mr. Naeseth was out of town, but that I could see one of his staff if I went over there immediately. I did that, and spent a very short but interesting and important time there. Mostly, it was apparent to me that they had moved

much further in their own research, and now had a lot of documentation about the family of Levor Herbrandsen, a lot they had not had a year ago. My own research, to my pleased surprise, had given me almost all of the same data. They had cards on each of the children: birth dates, spouses, etc., most of which I had already obtained, but this was further confirmation. The most important confirmation was that indeed all six of those children had been born in Norway, and had come to this country with their parents, the date they came & the ship they came on--the latter being the most important new find I got there. I also got a reference number so that I can get back to Mr. Naeseth & match data with him, and confirm the rest of the information I need from him later.

I also confirmed Guro's second marriage, and the date of the wedding. When I think about it, now that I have seen the gap in the census records, we may find her as Guro Johnson, not Leverson, so that just opens up another question mark about where we will finally find her.

The other major thing that he confirmed was that the reason we were having trouble finding Anders Helliksen Lande was that he was listed in the census as Anders Alliksen. [Again, you can hear that census taker trying to hear a Norwegian say Helliksen and getting Alliksen out of it]. Armed with that information I went back, and sure enough, there he was in the census with his family. Kari was not listed with them, just the two boys, but it is confirmation that the family was there.

forsythia
amaryllis
tulips
lilies of the valley

Levor Knudsen Garnaas (RIN# 3065), his mother's father. His name is Levord on his christening record & those of his children. [In other words, on church documents]. He was aways Levor in civil documents.

The christening records show his parents:"Herbrand Henrichsen og Aase Levorsdatter of the farm Mylie."

His mother's mother, Ragne Steengrimsdatter Bortnas (RIN# 3066) was one of the witnesses for his christening, also Peder Garnaas, another witness, is his mother's brother, one of his two uncles by that name. Other witnesses were Kari Aaltverz (?) and Thor Olsen.
His confirmation records were validated in the parish records kept at the Luther Valley Church, Plymouth Township, Rock County, WI. RKF examined the original church records on a visit there. They are kept in a safe in the church secretary's office.

Our discovery of the church records was a combination of research & serendipity! In the history book of Rock Co., RKF noticed a reference to a place called Borints, where a Norwegian newspaper, the EMMIGRANTEN had been printed. We found it on a township map, right near Orfordville, very near to Levor's land. Even more interesting, we noticed there was a Norwegian Lutheran Church right there, & our hunch was that this would have been where they had attended church. We drove to Borints, a hamlet of a few houses at the cross road between the borders of Plymouth & Christiana Townships. There we found the old parish house, now owned by a nice young family (See photos in file). The young mother there pointed us to the Norwegian Lutheran Church just down the road. There we found the Luther Valley Lutheran Church, & documentation that Levor had assisted in its organization. Located in Newark Twp., the church is less than a quarter of a mile across the boundary between the old parsonage, which is in Plymouth Co., & which served as the first center for church activities until the church itself was completed & ready to be used in the fall of 1845. The first register of the parish is entitled "Kirke Bog for Den Norske Lutherske Meninghed ved Rock Prarier, Rock County, Wisconsin Territory, North America". The first part of Book I is an Index in which all church members are recorded alphabetically by given name as they entered the church either through proof of previous Lutheran church membership, by confirmation, or as members of the family of an accepted member. The Index is hand-written in a beautiful, small script. The Index ends in 1856 and has a total of 1101 names of individuals and CLVIII families.

Levor was accepted on 22 Dec 1845 as Member # 71, Family # XVI. Family members listed under his name were: Guro Christiansdatter, Christian (Son), Guri (Datter), Ingeborg (Datter), Knud (Son). Herbrand & Aase are not listed with the family, probably because they were listed as members of the beginning Confirmation class.

Leverson
Pedigree Charts

PEDIGREE CHART

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Chart No. 1

1 Henry Albert LEVERSON-31
B: 13 Jun 1859
P: Spring Valley,Rock,Wis.
M: 1 Jun 1882 --7
P: Jackson,Jackson,Minn.
D: 20 May 1951
P: Jackson,Jackson,Minn.
Sigrid Gunnarsdatter HUSBY-32--
Spouse

2 Herbrand LEVERSON-144
B: 1 Jan 1831
P: Mylie,N,,Norway Buskerud
M: 2 Nov 1854 --31
P: EastKoshkonongCh,C,,Wis.
D: 25 Mar 1912
P: Jackson,Jackson,Minn.

3 Kari Andersdatter LANDE-145
B: 3 Oct 1830
P: Lande,Flesberg,B,Norway
D: 2 Jan 1913
P: Kimball Twp.,J,Minn.

Mylie
4 Levor HERBRANDSEN-155
B: Dec 1803
P: Mylie,N,,Norway Buskerud
M: --32 24 Jan 1828
P:
D: 22 Sep 1846
P: Spring Valley,Rock,Wis.

↑
5th Cousins
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5 Guro CHRISTIANSDATTER-156
B: 1799 29 Nov 1801
P: Garnaas,N,,Norway
D: Aft 1880
P: ,,Wis.

6 Anders Helliksen LANDE-157
B: Aug 1786
P: Lande,Flesberg,B,Norway
M: 7 Oct 1817 --33
P: Mogen,Flesberg,B,Norway
D: Aft 1880
P: ,,Wis.,USA

7 Berith G UNNEBERGET-158
B: 12 May 1786
P: Underberget,F,,Norway
D: Bef 1880
P: ,,Wis.

8 Herbrand Henrichsen MYLIE-3046
B: Jul 1767
P: Mylie,N,,Norway
M: 6 Oct 1791 --826
P: Parish Church,Nes,B,Norway
D:
P:

9 Aase Levorsdatter GARNAAS-3047
B: 1775
P: Garnaas,N,,Norway
D:
P:

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4th Cousins
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10 Christian Levorsen GARNAAS-3078
B: Oct 1759
P: Gardoldokken,N,,Norway Dokken
M: 12 Oct 1779 --835
P: Parish Church,Nes,B,Norway
D: Bef 1817
P: Garnaas,N,,Norway

11 Guri K GUDBRANDSRUD-3079
B: Apr 1762
P: Gudbrandsrud,N,,Norway
D:
P:

12 Hellik Gjetnaesse LANDE-1300
B: Abt 1754
P: Lande,Flesberg,B,Norway
M: --365
P:
D:
P: ,Flesberg,Buskerud,Norway

13 Kari LEVORSDATTER-1301
B: Abt 1758
P: ,Flesberg,Buskerud,Norway
D:
P:

14 Gullik Sevadsen UNDERBERGET-1302
B: 1732
P: Underberget,F,,Norway
M: --366
P:
D: Aft 1801
P: ,Flesberg,Buskerud,Norway

15 Marit HALLESDATTER-1303
B: 1742
P: ,Flesberg,Buskerud,Norway
D: Aft 1801
P: ,Flesberg,Buskerud,Norway

16 Hendrich H MYLIE-3055
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17 Ingebor OLSDATTER-3056
3
18 Levor K GARNAAS-3065
4
19 Ragne S BORTNAS-3066
5
20 Ole C GARNAAS-3085
6
21 Guri OLSDATTER-3086
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22 Knud GUDBRANDSRUD-3119
23 G HALGRIMSDATTER-3120
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26 Levor-3117
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28 Sevad UNDERBERGET-3118
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30 Halles-3090
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                                    4 Henrith-3061----------------------¦ P:
                                     ¦ B: Abt    1686                   ¦ D:
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                                     ¦ M:    --829                      ¦                                 ¦
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 2 Henrith Henrithsen MYLIE-3060-----¦                                    D:
  ¦ B:    Aug 1718                   ¦                                    P:                            20 -------------------------
  ¦ P: Mylie,N,,Norway               ¦                                                                    ¦
  ¦ M:    --830                      ¦                                10 ---------------------------------¦
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  ¦                                 5 Kari LI-3088----------------------¦ P:
  ¦                                    B: Abt    1690                   ¦ D:
  ¦                                    P: ,Nes i Hallingdal,B,Norway    ¦ P:                            22 -------------------------
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  ¦                                    P:                             11 ---------------------------------¦
1 Hendrich Herbransen MYLIE-3055----                                      B:                            23 -------------------------
  ¦ B:    May 1741                                                        P:
  ¦ P: Mylie,N,,Norway                                                    D:
  ¦ M:    --827                                                           P:                            24 -------------------------
  ¦ P: ,,Buskerud,Norway                                                                                  ¦
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  ¦Ingebor OLSDATTER-3056---------                                      ¦ P:                            25 -------------------------
  ¦ Spouse                                                              ¦ M:
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                                     4 Jorgen OLSGAARD-3054---------------¦ P:
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                                      ¦ P: ,,Buskerud,Norway              ¦ P:                            18 -------------------------
                                      ¦ M:    --848                       ¦                                 ¦
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 2 Ole Jorgensen OLSGAARD-3057--------¦                                     D:
  ¦ B: Abt    1713                    ¦                                     P:                            20 -------------------------
  ¦ P: ,,Buskerud,Norway              ¦                                                                     ¦
  ¦ M:    --828                       ¦                                 10 ---------------------------------¦
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1 Ingebor OLSDATTER-3056------------                                        B:                            23 -------------------------
  ¦ B:     1745                                                             P:
  ¦ P: ,,Buskerud,Norway                                                    D:
  ¦ M:    --827                                                             P:                            24 -------------------------
  ¦ P: ,,Buskerud,Norway                                                                                    ¦
  ¦ D: Bef    1801                                                      12 ---------------------------------¦
  ¦ P: Mylie,N,,Norway                                                    ¦ B:                              ¦
  ¦Hendrich H MYLIE-3055----------                                        ¦ P:                            25 -------------------------
  ¦ Spouse                                                                ¦ M:
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                                                                        8 Knud Levorsen GARNAAS-3114-------|
                                                                         | B: Abt    1650                  |
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                                     4 Levor Knudsen GARNAAS-3113--------| P:
                                      | B: Abt    1682                   | D:
                                      | P: Garnaas,N,,Norway             | P:                             18 ------------------------
                                      | M:    --847                      |                                 |
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                                      | P: Garnaas,N,,Norway                P:
 2 Knud Levorsen GARNAAS-3072---------|                                     D:
   | B: Abt    1715                   |                                     P:                            20 ------------------------
   | P: Garnaas,N,Norway              |                                                                    |
   | M:    --833                      |                                  10 -------------------------------|
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 1 Levor Knudsen GARNAAS-3065--------                                       B:                            23 ------------------------
   | B: Abt    1747                                                         P:
   | P: Garnaas,N,,Norway                                                   D:
   | M:    --832                                                            P:                            24 ------------------------
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   | D:                                                                  12 -------------------------------|
   | P: ,Nes i Hallingdal,B,Norway                                       | B:                              |
   |Ragne S BORTNAS-3066-----------                                      | P:                             25 ------------------------
   | Spouse                                                              | M:
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 2 Steengrim BORTNAS-3095-------------|                                    D:
  | B: Abt    1719                    |                                    P:                             20 --------------------------
  | P: Bortnas,N,,Norway              |                                                                     |
  | M:    --840                       |                                10 ----------------------------------|
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1 Ragne S BORTNAS-3066--------------                                       B:                             23 --------------------------
  | B: Abt    1742                                                         P:
  | P: Bortnas,N,,Norway                                                   D:
  | M:    --832                                                            P:                             24 --------------------------
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  |Levor Knudsen GARNAAS-3065-----                                       | P:                             25 --------------------------
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 3 Aase-3096--------------------------|                                    D:
    B: Abt    1723                    |                                    P:                             28 --------------------------
    P: ,Nes i Hallingdal,B,Norway     |                                                                     |
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Chart No. 6

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                                                                         8 Christian Levorsen GARNAAS-3115--¦   on chart no. 4
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                                                                          ¦ P: Garnaas,N,,Norway         17 -------------------------
                                                                          ¦ M:    --850
                                      4 Levor Christiansen GARNAAS-3094---¦ P:
                                       ¦ B: Abt    1663                   ¦ D:
                                       ¦ P: Garnaas,N,,Norway             ¦ P:                           18 -------------------------
                                       ¦ M:    --839                      ¦                                 ¦
                                       ¦ P:                              9 ---------------------------------¦
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                                       ¦ P: ,Nes i Hallingdal,B,Norway     P:
   2 Christian Levorsen GARNAAS-3093---¦                                    D:
     ¦ B: Abt    1695                  ¦                                    P:                           20 -------------------------
     ¦ P: Garnaas,N,,Norway            ¦                                                                    ¦
     ¦ M:    --838                     ¦                                 10 --------------------------------¦
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   1 Ole Christiansen GARNAAS-3085-----                                     B:                           23 -------------------------
     ¦ B: Abt    1727                                                       P:
     ¦ P: Garnaas,N,,Norway                                                 D:
     ¦ M:    --836                                                          P:                           24 -------------------------
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     ¦Guri OLSDATTER-3086------------                                     ¦ P:                           25 -------------------------
     ¦ Spouse                                                             ¦ M:
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 2 Ole-3097--------------------------|                                    D:
  | B: Abt    1699                   |                                    P:                            20 -------------------------
  | P: ,Nes i Hallingdal,B,Norway    |                                                                    |
  | M:     --841                     |                                10 ---------------------------------|
  | P:                               |                                  | B:                              |
  | D:                               |                                  | P:                            21 -------------------------
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1 Guri OLSDATTER-3086---------------                                      B:                            23 -------------------------
  | B: Abt    1723                                                        P:
  | P: ,Nes i Hallingdal,B,Norway                                         D:
  | M:     --836                                                          P:                            24 -------------------------
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  |Ole Christiansen GARNAAS-3085--                                      | P:                            25 -------------------------
  | Spouse                                                              | M:
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,Aase	3096	1723		5	3	
,Halles	3090	1726		1	30	
,Henrith	3061	1686		2	4	
,Levor	3117	1726		1	26	
,Ole	3097	1699		7	2	
BORTNAS,Ragne Steengrimsdtr.	3066	1742		1	19	840
BORTNAS,Steengrim	3095	1719		5	2	
GARNAAS,Aase Levorsdatter	3047	1775		1	9	832
GARNAAS,Christian Levorsen	3078	1759	1817	1	10	836
GARNAAS,Christian Levorsen	3093	1695		6	2	839
GARNAAS,Christian Levorsen	3115	1637		6	8	851
GARNAAS,Guro Christiansdatter	156	1799		1	5	835
GARNAAS,Knud Levorsen	3072	1715		4	2	847
GARNAAS,Knud Levorsen	3114	1650		4	8	851
GARNAAS,Levor	3116	1611		4	16	
GARNAAS,Levor Christiansen	3094	1663		6	4	850
GARNAAS,Levor Knudsen	3113	1682		4	4	849
GARNAAS,Levor Knudsen	3065	1747		1	18	833
GARNAAS,Ole Christiansen	3085	1727		1	20	838
GUDBRANDSRUD,Guri Knudsdatter	3079	1762		1	11	854
GUDBRANDSRUD,Knud Olsen	3119	1730		1	22	
HALGRIMSDATTER,Guro	3120	1734		1	23	
HALLESDATTER,Marit	1303	1742	1801	1	15	837
LANDE,Anders Helliksen	157	1786	1880	1	6	365
LANDE,Hellik Gjetnaesse	1300	1754		1	12	
LANDE,Kari Andersdatter	145	1830	1913	1	3	33
LEVERSON,Albert Henry	31	1858	1951	1	1	31
LEVERSON,Herbrand	144	1831	1912	1	2	32
LEVORSDATTER,Kari	1301	1758		1	13	852
LI,Kari	3088	1690		2	5	
MYLIE,Hendrich Herbransen	3055	1741		1	16	830
MYLIE,Henrith Henrithsen	3060	1718		2	2	829
MYLIE,Herbrand Henrichsen	3046	1767		1	8	827
MYLIE,Levord Herbrandsen	155	1803		1	4	826
OLSDATTER,Guri	3086	1723		1	21	841
OLSDATTER,Ingebor	3056	1745	1801	1	17	828
OLSGAARD,Jorgen	3054	1681		3	4	
OLSGAARD,Ole Jorgensen	3057	1713		3	2	848
UNDERBERGET,Birit Gulliksdtr.	158	1786	1880	1	7	366
UNDERBERGET,Gullik Sevadsen	1302	1732	1801	1	14	853
UNDERBERGET,Sevad	3118	1700		1	28	

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	1st GENERATION		
1	Henry Albert LEVERSON-31	13 Jun 1859	20 May 1951
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2	Herbrand LEVERSON-144	1 Jan 1831	25 Mar 1912
3	Kari Andersdatter LANDE-145	3 Oct 1830	2 Jan 1913
	3rd GENERATION		
4	Levor HERBRANDSEN-155	Dec 1803	22 Sep 1846
5	Guro CHRISTIANSDATTER-156	1799	Aft 1880
6	Anders Helliksen LANDE-157	Aug 1786	Aft 1880
7	Berith G UNNEBERGET-158	12 May 1786	Bef 1880
	4th GENERATION		
8	Herbrand Henrichsen MYLIE-3046	Jul 1767	
9	Aase Levorsdatter GARNAAS-3047	1775	
10	Christian L GARNAAS-3078	Oct 1759	Bef 1817
11	Guri K GUDBRANDSRUD-3079	Apr 1762	
12	Hellik Gjetnaesse LANDE-1300	Abt 1754	
13	Kari LEVORSDATTER-1301	Abt 1758	
14	Gullik S UNDERBERGET-1302	1732	Aft 1801
15	Marit HALLESDATTER-1303	1742	Aft 1801
	5th GENERATION		
16	Hendrich Herbransen MYLIE-3055	May 1741	
17	Ingebor OLSDATTER-3056	1745	Bef 1801
18	Levor Knudsen GARNAAS-3065	Abt 1747	
19	Ragne S BORTNAS-3066	Abt 1742	
20	Ole Christiansen GARNAAS-3085	Abt 1727	
21	Guri OLSDATTER-3086	Abt 1723	
22	Knud Olsen GUDBRANDSRUD-3119	Abt 1730	
23	Guro HALGRIMSDATTER-3120	Abt 1734	
26	Levor-3117	Abt 1726	
28	Sevad UNDERBERGET-3118	Abt 1700	
30	Halles-3090	Abt 1726	
	6th GENERATION		
32	Henrith Henrithsen MYLIE-3060	Aug 1718	
34	Ole Jorgensen OLSGAARD-3057	Abt 1713	
36	Knud Levorsen GARNAAS-3072	Abt 1715	
38	Steengrim BORTNAS-3095	Abt 1719	
39	Aase-3096	Abt 1723	
40	Christian L GARNAAS-3093	Abt 1695	
42	Ole-3097	Abt 1699	
	7th GENERATION		

Ahnentafel Number	Name	Birth or Christening	Death or Burial
64	Henrith-3061	Abt 1686	
65	Kari LI-3088	Abt 1690	
68	Jorgen OLSGAARD-3054	Abt 1681	
72	Levor Knudsen GARNAAS-3113	Abt 1682	
80	Levor C GARNAAS-3094	Abt 1663	

8th GENERATION

Ahnentafel Number	Name	Birth or Christening	Death or Burial
144	Knud Levorsen GARNAAS-3114	Abt 1650	
160	Christian L GARNAAS-3115	Abt 1637	

9th GENERATION

Ahnentafel Number	Name	Birth or Christening	Death or Burial
288	Levor GARNAAS-3116	Abt 1611	
320	same as ahnentafel number 288		

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1-- Henrith-3061 (1686)
 sp-Kari LI-3088 (1690)
    2-- Henrith Henrithsen MYLIE-3060 (1718)
        3-- Hendrich Herbransen MYLIE-3055 (1741)
         sp-Ingebor OLSDATTER-3056 (1745-1801)
            4-- Herbrand Henrichsen MYLIE-3046 (1767-1821)
             sp-Aase Levorsdatter GARNAAS-3047 (1775-1821)
                5-- Ingebor Herbransdatter BORTNAS-3048 (1794)
                5-- Kirsti Herbrandsdatter MYLIE-3049 (1796)
                5-- Bergit Herbrandsdatter MYLIE-3050 (1798)
                5-- Henrich HERBRANDSEN-3051 (1800-1870)
                 sp-Margret-3174 (1797)
                    6-- Henry HENRICHSEN-3200 (1828)
                     sp-Christen-3201 (1830)
                        7-- Caroline HENRICHSEN-3202 (1845)
                        7-- Thor HENRICHSEN-3203 (1851)
                        7-- Henrick HENRICHSEN-3204 (1851)
                        7-- Tolef HENRICHSEN-3205 (1860)
                5-- Levor HERBRANDSEN-155 (1803-1846)
                 sp-Guro CHRISTIANSDATTER-156 (1799-1880)
                    6-- Aase (Elizabeth) LEVORSDATTER-3052 (1829-1882)
                     sp-Guttorm OLSEN-3153 (1829-1870)
                        7-- Aase (Betsey) OLSEN-3155 (1851)
                         sp-Ole S. EVERSON-3832
                        7-- Oline (Lena) OLSEN-3154 (1855)
                         sp-Edward EVANSON-3831
                    6-- Herbrand (Herbert) LEVERSON-144 (1831-1912)
                     sp-Kari Andersdatter LANDE-145 (1830-1913)
                        7-- Levor (Levi Lever) LEVERSON-146 (1855-1939)
                        7-- Clara Andrea LEVERSON-148 (1857-1935)
                         sp-Ole MIKELSON-552 (1851-1916)
                            8-- Henry L. MIKELSON-3140 (1874-1957)
                             sp-Livia RAKNESS-3800 (1885-1919)
                                9-- Ora E. MIKELSON-3801 (1917-1940)
                            8-- Oscar MIKELSON-554 (1876)
                             sp-Gerda-3137
                                9-- Louis MIKELSON-3138 (1922)
                                9-- Forrest MIKELSON-3139 (1920)
                            8-- Anna MIKELSON-553 (1878-1968)
                             sp-Charles EVERS-1226 (1878-1947)
                            8-- Carl MIKELSON-1098 (1879-1917)
                            8-- Oline (Lena) MIKELSON-989 (1881-1954)
                            8-- John MIKELSON-2297 (1883)
                            8-- Hazel MIKELSON-987 (1885)
                            8-- Bertha MIKELSON-988 (1887-1895)
                            8-- Christine MIKELSON-3798 (1889)
                            8-- Dagne H. MIKELSON-3799 (1893-1977)
                        7-- Henry Albert LEVERSON-31 (1859-1951)
                         sp-Sigrid Gunnarsdatter HUSBY-32 (1857-1910)
                            8-- Helen Grace LEVERSON-33 (1883-1976)
                             sp-George Christian LUDVIGSEN-197 (1896-1967)
                                9-- Betty LUDVIGSEN-194 (1922)
                                 sp-Harold FREDRICKSON-193 (1920)
                                    10--Linda FREDRICKSON-195 (1949)
                                    10--Jane FREDRICKSON-196 (1952)
                                     sp-Roger HOLMES-108 (1953)
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            11--Emily Joy HOLMES-253 (1976)
            11--Kathryn Louise HOLMES-244 (1979)
            11--Erik Stuart HOLMES-360 (1984)
    9-- Margaret Sarah LUDVIGSEN-1002 (1925-1925)
8-- George Canelius LEVERSON-34 (1885-1958)
 sp-Bessie Belle BRUCE-565 (1893-1922)
    9-- Everett LEVERSON-566 (1918-1987)
     sp-Marilyn LEDY-964
        10--Bruce Alan LEVERSON-1003 (1953-1982)
        10--Greg Paul LEVERSON-1004
         sp-Carol Harmon MOORE-1006
        10--Lynn Marie LEVERSON-1005
    9-- Baby Girl LEVERSON-567 (1922)
 sp-Naomi-1007
 sp-Lelah BUSHEY-1008
8-- Samuel A. LEVERSON-35 (1887-1960)
 sp-Thora C. R. JENSEN-568 (1895-1980)
    9-- Vernon Samuel LEVERSON-569 (1917)
    9-- Lucille Esther LEVERSON-570 (1920)
    9-- Orville Richard LEVERSON-571 (1925)
     sp-Luella-1229
    9-- Kenneth Gene LEVERSON-572 (1927)
     sp-Alice-1230
    9-- Harold Hilbert "Rusty" LEVERSON-573 (1929)
     sp-Marcia-574
        10--Ann LEVERSON-575 (1954)
         sp-Tom WHALEN-1236
            11--Matt WHALEN-1237 (1978)
            11--Jessica WHALEN-1238 (1981)
        10--Sue LEVERSON-576 (1955)
         sp-Kent ANDERSON-1239
            11--Erin ANDERSON-1240 (1980)
            11--Tony ANDERSON-1241 (1981)
            11--Adam ANDERSON-1242 (1982)
        10--Greg Paul LEVERSON-581 (1957)
         sp-Karen CHRISTIANSON-1244
        10--Tina LEVERSON-577 (1959)
        10--Ellen LEVERSON-578 (1960)
         sp-Eric LARSON-1243
        10--Mark LEVERSON-579 (1962)
        10--Mike LEVERSON-580 (1963)
        10--Eric William LEVERSON-582 (1965)
        10--Sara Jean LEVERSON-583 (1967)
8-- Christina (Teen) LEVERSON-36 (1889-1952)
8-- Helmer LEVERSON-37 (1890-1973)
 sp-Lucille KELLY-536 (1903-1993)
    9-- Marjorie Ann LEVERSON-537 (1922)
     sp-Everett COOK-539 (1923-1971)
        10--Michael COOK Ph.D.-540 (1950)
         sp-Nilda-1014
            11--Michael COOK-1015
            11--David COOK-1016
        10--Patricia Ann COOK-541
         sp-Steven EDWARDS-1017
            11--Jon EDWARDS-1018
            11--Christopher EDWARDS-1019
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        10--Crista COOK-542
         sp-Bryan EDWARDS-1020
    9-- Keith Kelly LEVERSON-538 (1925-1985)
     sp-Clarice Ann-1009
        10--Mark LEVERSON-1010
        10--Maria LEVERSON-1011
        10--Matthew LEVERSON-1012
        10--Marcia LEVERSON-1013
8-- Anna Serena LEVERSON-38 (1892-1894)
8-- Anna Otilda (Ann) LEVERSON-39 (1895-1981)
 sp-Arthur REIBEL-965
    9-- Baby Girl REIBEL-3598 (1929-1929)
8-- Serena Josephine (Rena) LEVERSON-13 (1895-1986)
 sp-Reginald George KING-12 (1898-1964)
    9-- Donald George KING-14 (1922)
     sp-Loila Arlene (Lou) HARDY-183 (1923)
        10--Shirley Lou KING-913 (1944)
         sp-Gerald BERGER-3791
            11--Catherine Grace BERGER-3792 (1962)
             sp-Jeremiah SQUIRES III-3794 (1961)
                12--Jenna Grace SQUIRES-3795 (1987)
                12--Elizabeth Jane SQUIRES-3796 (1989)
                12--Monica Catherine SQUIRES-3797 (1991)
            11--Elizabeth Ann BERGER-3793 (1964)
             sp-Rick CARPENTER-4410 (1961)
                12--Lauren CARPENTER-4411 (1991)
                12--Emily Catherine CARPENTER-4512 (1993)
         sp-Stanley PLYS-4412 (1935)
        10--Karen Lynn KING-184 (1956)
         sp-Paul Martin LANG-215 (1955)
            11--Dustin Martin LANG-216 (1987)
            11--Sarah Susan LANG-836 (1989)
            11--Kevin Paul LANG-3347 (1991)
        10--Robert George KING-185 (1958)
         sp-Vina ENDRIGA-5602 (1972)
    9-- Robert Hilton KING II-15 (1923)
     sp-Phyllis Jean BEALL-186 (1929)
        10--William Porter KING-187 (1952)
         sp-Peggy HIGHTOWER-202 (1952)
            11--Amanda Marie KING-203 (1978)
            11--Sarah Beth KING-204 (1982)
        10--Patricia Ann KING-188 (1953)
         sp-Paul LEIGHTON-804 (1953)
            11--Steven Paul LEIGHTON-206 (1979)
            11--David Robert LEIGHTON-207 (1981)
            11--Mark William LEIGHTON-208 (1984)
        10--Steven Philip KING-189 (1957)
         sp-Patricia Esther HART-205 (1957)
            11--Dana Carole KING-209 (1982)
            11--Adam Steven KING-210 (1983)
            11--Robert Hilton KING III-1064 (1989)
        10--Susan Roberta KING-190 (1958)
         sp-Donovan Dean DAHL-211 (1955)
            11--Angela Sue DAHL-212 (1981)
            11--Nicole Marie DAHL-213 (1983)
            11--Kellie Pernell DAHL-214 (1985)
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9-- Ruth Ellen KING-2 (1924)
sp-John Gordon FREYMANN M.D.-1 (1922)
10--Amanda Wicks FREYMANN-3 (1952)
10--Martha Gordon FREYMANN-4 (1953)
sp-Andrew Lehmann MISER PhD.-43 (1950)
11--Amanda Jennings MISER-44 (1984)
11--Christina Andrews MISER-45 (1987)
11--Carl Wilson MISER-2933 (1991)
10--Sarah Hilton FREYMANN-5 (1956)
sp-Michael Scott FONTENOT M.D.-46 (1953)
11--Gordon Ridley FONTENOT-47 (1985)
11--Andrew Derouen FONTENOT-48 (1987)
10--Vance Gordon King FREYMANN-6 (1959)
sp-Anastasia McCormack LUBY-3350 (1965)
8-- Elvin Bernhard LEVERSON-40 (1897-1939)
sp-Laura PLAISANCE-1021
9-- Noreen LEVERSON-584 (1932)
sp-Eugene EPSKY Sr.-1022
10--Eugene EPSKY Jr.-1023
sp-Cindy-1031
11--Michael EPSKY-1032 (1976)
11--Matthew EPSKY-1033 (1978)
11--Mark EPSKY-1034 (1981)
10--Mary EPSKY-1024
10--Carol EPSKY-1025
sp-Rick-1035
11--Bryan-1036 (1982)
11--Jason-1037 (1984)
10--John EPSKY-1026
10--Patty EPSKY-1027
sp-Joe WOIDA-1038
11--Lisa WOIDA-1039 (1975)
11--Christy WOIDA-1040 (1977)
11--Tammy WOIDA-1041 (1980)
10--Kathy EPSKY-1028
sp-Joel EBNET-1042
11--Amanda Jean EBNET-1043 (1986)
10--Peggy EPSKY-1029
11--Kaylene Marie EPSKY-1044 (1986)
10--Linda EPSKY-1030
sp-Calvin HAWLEY-1045
11--Baby Boy HAWLEY-1046 (1989)
8-- Olga Erina LEVERSON-41 (1900-1979)
sp-Joseph Charles BUDIK D.D.S.-560 (1900-1977)
9-- Margaret Jane BUDIK-561 (1925-1932)
9-- Robert Charles BUDIK-562 (1928)
sp-Gloria-1047
10--Thomas R. "Tom" BUDIK-1048 (1952)
sp-Susan K. SCHWACH-5222
11--Robert C. BUDIK-3963 (1977)
11--Andrew J. BUDIK-3962 (1979)
11--Robyn Lynn BUDIK-3961 (1981)
sp-Sharon-5224
11--Stuart Preston BUDIK-4140 (1971)
11--Tracy Preston BUDIK-5223 (1972)
10--Judy Ann BUDIK-1050 (1959)

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            10--Jeanne L. BUDIK-1051 (1960)
             sp-Raymond A. PURAL-1232
                11--Ryan M. PURAL-3970 (1983)
                11--David M. PURAL-3969 (1986)
                11--Kristen L. PURAL-3967 (1990)
            10--Robert BUDIK Jr.-1231 (1961)
            10--Mary Susan BUDIK-1049 (1972)
             sp-Daryl COONS-5225 (1947)
                11--Tama COONS-5226 (1976)
                11--Jeremy COONS-5227 (1978)
                11--Shauna COONS-5228 (1980)
         sp-Heidi-5221
        9-- Richard BUDIK-564 (1935-1994)
         sp-Roberta "Bobby"-1052
            10--Mark R. BUDIK-4042
            10--Pamela Sue BUDIK-4041
            10--Joseph BUDIK-4040
            10--Carrie BUDIK-3971
            10--Sandra BUDIK-3973
            10--Christopher BUDIK-3972
         sp-Judy-1053 ( -1980)
         sp-Shirleen-5215 (1980)
        9-- David BUDIK-563 (1936)
         sp-Jean Margaret UNZEITIG-1054
            10--Terry Jean BUDIK-1055 (1960)
             sp-Martin HEISEL-4027
                11--Caitlyn Irene HEISEL-4026 (1990)
                11--Cory Jean HEISEL-4025 (1992)
            10--Jay David BUDIK-1056 (1961)
             sp-Catherine CULBERSON-4024
                11--David Jay BUDIK-4023 (1987)
                11--Nicole Marie BUDIK-4044 (1991)
    8-- Hazel Blanche LEVERSON-42 (1904)
     sp-Frank PERCY-413 (1900-1953)
     sp-Robert HARTMANN-414 (1907-1907)
7-- Julia LEVERSON-153 (1861-1939)
 sp-Thorsten P. (Tom) LAINGEN-550 (1863-1948)
    8-- Palmer T. LAINGEN-551 (1888-1957)
     sp-Amanda-3802 (1887-1987)
        9-- Lester LAINGEN-3803 (1912)
    8-- Elma LAINGEN-3805 (1894-1972)
     sp-HOWE-3809
    8-- Carl LAINGEN-3806 (1900-1982)
     sp-Alta-3810 (1903)
    8-- Melvin LAINGEN-3134 (1903-1973)
     sp-Emily M.-3804 (1910-1990)
    8-- Helmer LAINGEN-3807
    8-- Hulda LAINGEN-3808 ( -1991)
     sp-UMHOFER-3811
7-- Carl Gustav (Charles) LEVERSON-151 (1863-1934)
 sp-Olina Louise (Lena) OLSON-555 (1871-1954)
    8-- Hazel Caroline LEVERSON-558 (1896-1987)
     sp-Austin CAPP-2301
    8-- Milo Louis LEVERSON-3812 (1898-1967)
     sp-Berti LANGLAND-3817
    8-- Esther Louise LEVERSON-557 (1899-1976)
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         sp-Bill CASSEM-2300 ( -1967)
        8-- Laura Florentine LEVERSON-559 (1901)
         sp-Lloyd EVANS-2298 ( -1991)
        8-- Floyd Gordon LEVERSON-556 (1904-1985)
         sp-Hazel V.-3141 (1902)
            9-- Joyce Lareen LEVERSON-3142 (1931)
             sp-Luane JOHNSON-3818
        8-- Glenn Ellsworth LEVERSON-3813 (1905-1908)
        8-- Ruth Geneva LEVERSON-1261 (1910)
         sp-Cornelius C. HARDER-2299 (1905)
            9-- Robert Dean HARDER-3814 (1932)
            9-- Rosalyn Jean HARDER-3815 (1941)
             sp-Gene FOSSUM-3816 (1938)
    7-- Austin Bernard LEVERSON-147 (1866-1905)
    7-- Helen LEVERSON-149 (1869-1913)
     sp-Knute LOGAN-1228
        8-- Hannah LOGAN-3819 ( -1992)
         sp-OLMSTED-3824
            9-- Chauncey OLMSTED-3825
        8-- Hazel LOGAN-3820
         sp-Harold ANDERSON-3823 (1894-1921)
        8-- Robert LOGAN-3821
        8-- Blanche LOGAN-3822
    7-- Tilda (Tillie) LEVERSON-150 (1872-1913)
     sp-Ole VEEK-1227
        8-- Myron VEEK-3826
        8-- Hiram VEEK-3827
    7-- Helmer LEVERSON-152 (1874-1913)
     sp-Myrtle NEYGANDT-2304 (1884)
        8-- Curtis Ellsworth LEVERSON-2303 (1902)
        8-- Herbert LEVERSON-543 ( -1992)
        8-- Harry LEVERSON-3828 ( -1992)
        8-- Berneatha LEVERSON-3829
        8-- Dolly LEVERSON-3830
         sp-WENDELSHAFER-3837
        8-- Beulah LEVERSON-3833
         sp-PIHALE-3838
        8-- Marion LEVERSON-3834
        8-- Jeanette LEVERSON-3835
        8-- Madeline LEVERSON-3836
6-- Christian "Christ" LEVORSEN-3053 (1833-1893)
 sp-Ingeborg Karine (Isabelle) FOSSUM-3156 (1837-1893)
    7-- Gurina (Maria) LEVORSEN-3161 (1861)
    7-- Levor Julius LEVORSEN-3163 (1859-1862)
    7-- Levor Julius LEVORSEN-3164 (1863)
    7-- Clara J. LEVORSEN-4750 (1869)
    7-- Charles H. LEVORSEN-4751 (1871)
    7-- Nellie A. LEVORSEN-4752 (1874)
6-- Guri (Julia) LEVORSDATTER-3157 (1835)
 sp-Ole EVANSON-3158
6-- Ingeborg (Isabel) LEVORSDATTER-3159 (1838)
 sp-Knud CHRISTIANSEN-3160 (1831)
    7-- Christian CHRISTENSON-3859 (1859)
    7-- Levi CHRISTENSON-3860 (1861)
    7-- Seward C. CHRISTENSON-3861 (1863)
    7-- Eliza CHRISTENSON-3862 (1865)
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                        7-- Henry C. CHRISTENSON-3863 (1867)
                        7-- Albert CHRISTENSON-3864 (1869)
                    6-- Knud (Knud Lever) LEVORSEN-3183 (1842-1880)
                     sp-Kari (Caroline)-3195 (1853)
                        7-- Levi LEVER-3196 (1875)
                        7-- Julia M. LEVER-3197 (1876)
                        7-- Clara LEVER-3198 (1878)
                        7-- Thomas LEVER-3199 (1879)
                5-- Knud HERBRANDSEN-3177 (1816-1893)
                    6-- Jane HERBRANSEN-3178
                    6-- Belle HERBRANSEN-3179
                    6-- Carrie HERBRANSEN-3180
                    6-- Emma HERBRANSEN-3181
                5-- Ole HERBRANDSEN-3182 (1820-1853)
                5-- Herbran HERBRANDSEN-3175 (1821)
                 sp-Ann THURBENDSEN-3176
            4-- Henrich Hendricksen MYLIE-3191 (1774)
             sp-Sirena-3192 (1778)
                5-- Levor HENDRICKSEN-3184 (1801)
                 sp-Margareth LEVORSDATTER-3185 (1814)
                    6-- Hendrick LEVORSEN-3186 (1839)
                     sp-Barbra OLSEN-3193
                    6-- Tolef LEVORSEN-3187 (1841)
                     sp-Guro HALVORDSON-3194
                    6-- Knud LEVORSEN-3162 (1842-1865)
                    6-- Isabella LEVORSEN-3188 (1846)
                    6-- Margareth LEVORSEN-3189 (1850)
                    6-- Henry LEVORSEN-3190 (1854)
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        10 Christian L GARNAAS-3078              Oct 1759       Bef    1833
        11 Guri K GUDBRANDSRUD-3079              Apr 1763
        12 Hellik Gjetlsesen LANDE-1300       Abt    1754
        13 Kari LEVORSDATTER-1301             Abt    1758
        14 Gullek E UNDERBERGET-1302                 1732              1815
        15 Berit HALLESDOTTER-1303                   1742              1826
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                          5th GENERATION

        16 Hendrich Herbransen MYLIE-3055        May 1741
        17 Ingebor OLSDATTER-3056                    1745       Bef    1801
        18 Levor Knudsen GARNAAS-3065         Abt    1747
        19 Ragne B BORTNAS-3066               Abt    1742       Aft    1803
        20 Ole Christiansen GARNAAS-3085      Abt    1727
        21 Guri OLSDATTER-3086                Abt    1731
        22 Knud Olsen GUDBRANDSRUD-3119       Abt    1730
        23 Guro HALGRIMSDATTER-3120           Abt    1734
        26 Levor-3117                         Abt    1726
        28 Berit NORD-HALLERUD-3118           Abt    1700
        30 Hellek-3088                        Abt    1720
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                          6th GENERATION

        32 Henrich Henrichsen MYLIE-3068         Aug 1718
        34 Ole Jorgensen GARNAAS-3087         Abt    1713
        36 Knud Levorsen GARNAAS-3072         Abt    1715
        38 Steenorin BORTNAS-3095             Abt    1719
        39 Aase-3096                          Abt    1723
        40 Christian L GARNAAS-3083           Abt    1695
        42 Ole-3097                           Abt    1699
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                          7th GENERATION

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AHNENTAFEL CHART

Ahnentafel Number	Name	Birth or Christening	Death or Burial
	1st GENERATION		
1	Henry Albert LEVERSON-31	13 Jun 1859	20 May 1951
	2nd GENERATION		
2	Herbrand H LEVERSON-144	25 Jan 1831	25 Mar 1912
3	Kari Andersdatter LANDE-145	3 Oct 1830	2 Jan 1913
	3rd GENERATION		
4	Levor HERBRANDSEN-155	Dec 1803	22 Sep 1846
5	Guro CHRISTIANSDATTER-156	1799	Aft 1880
6	Andres Hellekson LANDE-157	Aug 1786	Aft 1880
7	Beret G UNDERBERGET-158	12 May 1786	Bef 1880
	4th GENERATION		
8	Herbrand Henrichsen MYLIE-3046	Jul 1767	Aft 1821
9	Aase Levorsdatter GARNAAS-3047	1775	Aft 1821
10	Christian L GARNAAS-3078	Oct 1759	Bef 1817
11	Guri K GUDBRANDSRUD-3079	Apr 1762	
12	Hellik Gjetnaesse LANDE-1300	Abt 1754	
13	Kari LEVORSDATTER-1301	Abt 1758	
14	Gullek S UNDERBERGET-1302	1732	1815
15	Maret HALLESDOTTER-1303	1742	1826
	5th GENERATION		
16	Hendrich Herbransen MYLIE-3055	May 1741	
17	Ingebor OLSDATTER-3056	1745	Bef 1801
18	Levor Knudsen GARNAAS-3065	Abt 1747	
19	Ragne S BORTNAS-3066	Abt 1742	Aft 1803
20	Ole Christiansen GARNAAS-3085	Abt 1727	
21	Guri OLSDATTER-3086	Abt 1731	
22	Knud Olsen GUDBRANDSRUD-3119	Abt 1730	
23	Guro HALGRIMSDATTER-3120	Abt 1734	
26	Levor-3117	Abt 1726	
28	Sevat NORD-GJELLERUD-3118	Abt 1700	
30	Halles-3090	Abt 1726	
	6th GENERATION		
32	Henrith Henrithsen MYLIE-3060	Aug 1718	
34	Ole Jorgensen OLSGAARD-3057	Abt 1713	
36	Knud Levorsen GARNAAS-3072	Abt 1715	
38	Steengrim BORTNAS-3095	Abt 1719	
39	Aase-3096	Abt 1723	
40	Christian L GARNAAS-3093	Abt 1695	
42	Ole-3097	Abt 1699	
	7th GENERATION		

Ahnentafel Number	Name	Birth or Christening	Death or Burial
64	Henrith-3061	Abt 1686	
65	Kari LI-3088	Abt 1690	
68	Jorgen OLSGAARD-3054	Abt 1681	
72	Levor Knudsen GARNAAS-3113	Abt 1682	
80	Levor C GARNAAS-3094	Abt 1663	

8th GENERATION

Ahnentafel Number	Name	Birth or Christening	Death or Burial
144	Knud Levorsen GARNAAS-3114	Abt 1650	
160	Christian L GARNAAS-3115	Abt 1637	

9th GENERATION

Ahnentafel Number	Name	Birth or Christening	Death or Burial
288	Levor GARNAAS-3116	Abt 1611	
320	same as ahnentafel number 288		

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3-- C LEVERSON-36 (1889)
3-- Helmer LEVERSON-37 (1890)
 sp-Lucille KELLY-536 (1903)
    4-- Marjorie Ann LEVERSON-537 (1922)
     sp-Everett COOK-539 (1923)
        5-- Michael COOK Ph.D.-540 (1950)
         sp-Nilda-1014
            6-- Michael COOK-1015
            6-- David COOK-1016
        5-- Patricia Ann COOK-541
         sp-Steven EDWARDS-1017
            6-- Jon EDWARDS-1018
            6-- Christopher EDWARDS-1019
        5-- Crista COOK-542
         sp-Bryan EDWARDS-1020
    4-- Keith Kelly LEVERSON-538 (1925)
     sp-Clarice Ann-1009
        5-- Mark LEVERSON-1010
        5-- Maria LEVERSON-1011
        5-- Matthew LEVERSON-1012
        5-- Marcia LEVERSON-1013
3-- Anna Serena LEVERSON-38 (1892)
3-- Anna Otilda LEVERSON-39 (1895)
 sp-Arthur REIBEL-965
3-- Serena J LEVERSON-13 (1895)
 sp-Reginald George KING-12 (1898)
    4-- Donald George KING-14 (1922)
     sp-Loila(Lou) A HARDY-183 (1923)
        5-- Shirley Lou KING-990 (1944)
         sp-Gerald BERGER-991
            6-- Catherine Grace BERGER-992 (1962)
             sp-Jeremiah SQUIRES III-995
                7-- Jenna Grace SQUIRES-996 (1987)
                7-- Elizabeth Jane SQUIRES-997 (1989)
            6-- Elizabeth Ann BERGER-993 (1964)
         sp-Stanley PLYS-994
        5-- Karen Lynn KING-184 (1956)
         sp-Paul Martin LANG-215 (1955)
            6-- Dustin Martin LANG-216 (1987)
            6-- Sarah Susan LANG-836 (1989)
        5-- Robert George KING-185 (1958)
         sp-Kalleen Theresa BAKER-814 (1965)
    4-- Robert Hilton KING-15 (1923)
     sp-Phyllis Jean BEALL-186 (1929)
        5-- William Porter KING-187 (1952)
         sp-Peggy HIGHTOWER-202 (1952)
            6-- Amanda Marie KING-203 (1978)
            6-- Sarah Beth KING-204 (1982)
        5-- Patricia Ann KING-188 (1953)
         sp-Paul LEIGHTON-804 (1953)
            6-- Steven Paul LEIGHTON-206 (1979)
            6-- David Robert LEIGHTON-207 (1981)
            6-- Mark William LEIGHTON-208 (1984)
        5-- Steven Philip KING-189 (1957)
         sp-Patricia Esther HART-205 (1957)
            6-- Dana Carole KING-209 (1982)
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          6-- Adam Steven KING-210 (1983)
          6-- Robert Hilton KING III-1064 (1989)
      5-- Susan Roberta KING-190 (1958)
       sp-Donovan Dean DAHL-211 (1955)
          6-- Angela Sue DAHL-212 (1981)
          6-- Nicole Marie DAHL-213 (1983)
          6-- Kellie Pernell DAHL-214 (1985)
  4-- Ruth Ellen KING-2 (1924)
   sp-John Gordon FREYMANN M.D.-1 (1922)
      5-- Amanda Wicks FREYMANN-3 (1952)
      5-- Martha Gordon FREYMANN-4 (1953)
       sp-Andrew Lehmann MISER P-43 (1950)
          6-- Amanda Jennings MISER-44 (1984)
          6-- Christina Andrews MISER-45 (1987)
          6-- Carl Wilson MISER-2933 (1991)
      5-- Sarah Hilton FREYMANN-5 (1956)
       sp-Michael Scott FONTENOT M-46 (1953)
          6-- Gordon Ridley FONTENOT-47 (1985)
          6-- Andrew Derouen FONTENOT-48 (1987)
      5-- Vance Gordon K FREYMANN-6 (1959)
3-- Elvin Bernhard LEVERSON-40 (1897)
 sp-Laura PLAISANCE-1021
    4-- Noreen LEVERSON-584 (1932)
     sp-Eugene EPSKY Sr.-1022
        5-- Eugene EPSKY Jr.-1023
         sp-Cindy-1031
            6-- Michael EPSKY-1032 (1976)
            6-- Matthew EPSKY-1033 (1978)
            6-- Mark EPSKY-1034 (1981)
        5-- Mary EPSKY-1024
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        5-- Patty EPSKY-1027
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         sp-Calvin HAWLEY-1045
            6-- Baby Boy HAWLEY-1046 (1989)
3-- Olga Erina LEVERSON-41 (1900)
 sp-Joseph C. BUDIK D.M.D.-560 (1900)
    4-- Margaret Jane BUDIK-561 (1925)
    4-- Robert Charles BUDIK-562 (1927)
     sp-Gloria-1047
        5-- Tom BUDIK-1048 (1952)
        5-- Pamela BUDIK-1232 (1958)
        5-- Judy Ann BUDIK-1050 (1959)
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                5-- Robert BUDIK Jr.-1231 (1961)
                5-- Mary Susan BUDIK-1049 (1972)
            4-- Richard BUDIK-564 (1933)
             sp-Roberta-1052
             sp-Judy-1053
            4-- David BUDIK-563 (1936)
             sp-Jean-1054
                5-- Terry BUDIK-1055 (1960)
                5-- Jay BUDIK-1056 (1961)
        3-- Hazel Blanche LEVERSON-42 (1904)
         sp-Frank PERCY-413 (1900)
         sp-Robert HARTMANN-414 (1907)
    2-- Anna Bergitte G HUSBY-163 (1859)
     sp-Tom Andrew JOHNSON-154 (1854)
        3-- John JOHNSON-977 (1887)
         sp-Hattie WADE-1260
            4-- Allen JOHNSON-1601
            4-- Marion JOHNSON-1602
        3-- Ella JOHNSON-982 (1889)
         sp-Enoch LOVESETH-1875
            4-- Alvina LOVESETH-1876
            4-- Lloyd LOVESETH-1877
            4-- Joyce LOVESETH-1878
            4-- Betty Ann LOVESETH-1879
        3-- Arne JOHNSON-980 (1891)
            4-- Glen JOHNSON-1873
            4-- Adeline JOHNSON-1874
        3-- Gilbert JOHNSON-979 (1893)
        3-- Mina JOHNSON-978 (1895)
         sp-FERGUSTAD-1258
            4-- Adele FERGUSTAD-1259 (1918)
        3-- Anna (Tillie) JOHNSON-981 (1897)
         sp-FERGESTAD-1880
        3-- Esther JOHNSON-985 (1900)
         sp-REDMAN-1881
        3-- Louis JOHNSON-984 (1902)
        3-- Oscar JOHNSON-983 (1904)
    2-- Gunder Gunnarsen HUSBY-165 (1863)
     sp-Pauline PETTERSON-1288 (1856)
        3-- Mark Gunnarsen HUSBY-1289 (1884)
         sp-Carine I. LEEN-1296 (1879)
            4-- Alma HUSBY-3135 (1890)
             sp-GRAVES-3136
        3-- Sena HUSBY-1290 (1886)
         sp-Herbert Burr BAILEY-1603 (1882)
            4-- Helen Jane BAILEY-1604
            4-- Robert BAILEY-1605
        3-- Plume HUSBY-1291 (1890)
        3-- Allice Blanche HUSBY-1293 (1893)
        3-- Hazel HUSBY-1295 (1894)
         sp-Thomas CARLSON-1608
            4-- Lois CARLSON-1609
            4-- Thomas CARLSON-1610
            4-- Geraldine CARLSON-1611
        3-- Blanche HUSBY-1294 (1895)
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         sp-Olaf R. KELLY-1612 (1893)
            4-- Robert O. KELLY-1613
             sp-Dorothy MILLER-3122
                5-- Mark KELLY-3123 (1955)
                5-- Kathryn KELLY-3124 (1956)
                5-- Kristen KELLY-3125 (1958)
                 sp-SNYDER-3126
            4-- Virginia KELLY-1614
             sp-Cleveland SMITH-3127
            4-- Janette KELLY-1615
             sp-Paul DYATE-3128
            4-- John O. KELLY-1616
             sp-Carol-3129
                5-- Kim KELLY-3130
                5-- David KELLY-3131
        3-- Gilmore G HUSBY-1292 (1898)
         sp-Sophie HOYUM-1606
            4-- Gordon HUSBY-1607
    2-- Oline G HUSBY-167 (1865)
     sp-John THOMPSON-1220
        3-- Oscar T. THOMPSON-1425
        3-- Leonard THOMPSON-1257
        3-- Olga J. THOMPSON-1436
    2-- Beret (Bertha) G HUSBY-166 (1872)
     sp-Ole MOE-1221 (1870)
        3-- Norman Grant MOE-1437 (1891)
        3-- Sarah Berthena MOE-1438 (1895)
         sp-Leo PINSCH-1617
            4-- Harold L. PINSCH-1618 (1917)
             sp-Louise LUND-3338
                5-- Joyce PINSCH-3339 (1943)
                5-- Patricia PINSCH-3340 (1945)
            4-- Irene L. PINSCH-1619 (1919)
             sp-Harold MYRES-1882
                5-- Brian MYRES-1883
             sp-Oliver NESS-3341
            4-- Margaret L. PINSCH-1620 (1921)
             sp-Walter SARAMO-1884 (1918)
                5-- James SARAMO-1885 (1940)
            4-- Alice L. PINSCH-1621 (1923)
             sp-Gene TATE-1886 (1919)
                5-- Gary TATE-1887 (1944)
            4-- Rita L. PINSCH-1622 (1925)
             sp-Robert MARTIN-1888 (1921)
                5-- Gerald MARTIN-1889
                5-- Jeanie MARTIN-1890
                5-- David MARTIN-1891
                5-- Leanne MARTIN-1892
            4-- Richard L. PINSCH-1623 (1929)
            4-- Mary Louise L. PINSCH-1624 (1933)
            4-- Kathleen L. PINSCH-1625 (1935)
        3-- Carl Sigurd MOE-1439 (1897)
        3-- Clara Maurice MOE-1440 (1898)
         sp-Art RECKNAGLE-1626 (1894)
            4-- Kenneth RECKNAGLE-1627
         sp-Louis TELLINGHUSEN-1628 (1894)
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         4-- Floyd TELLINGHUSEN-1629
         4-- Arlene TELLINGHUSEN-1630
         4-- Donald TELLINGHUSEN-1631
     3-- Oscar Benjamin MOE-1441 (1907)
     3-- Hazel Gladys MOE-1442 (1910)
      sp-Alvin RECKNAGLE-1632 (1906)
         4-- Ricard RECKNAGLE-1633
         4-- Donald RECKNAGLE-1634
         4-- Harald RECKNAGLE-1635
         4-- Joanne RECKNAGLE-1636
      sp-Kenneth SHURTHER-1637 (1906)
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     3-- Maurice Olsen MOE-1443 (1912)
     3-- Alice Vivian MOE-1444 (1914)
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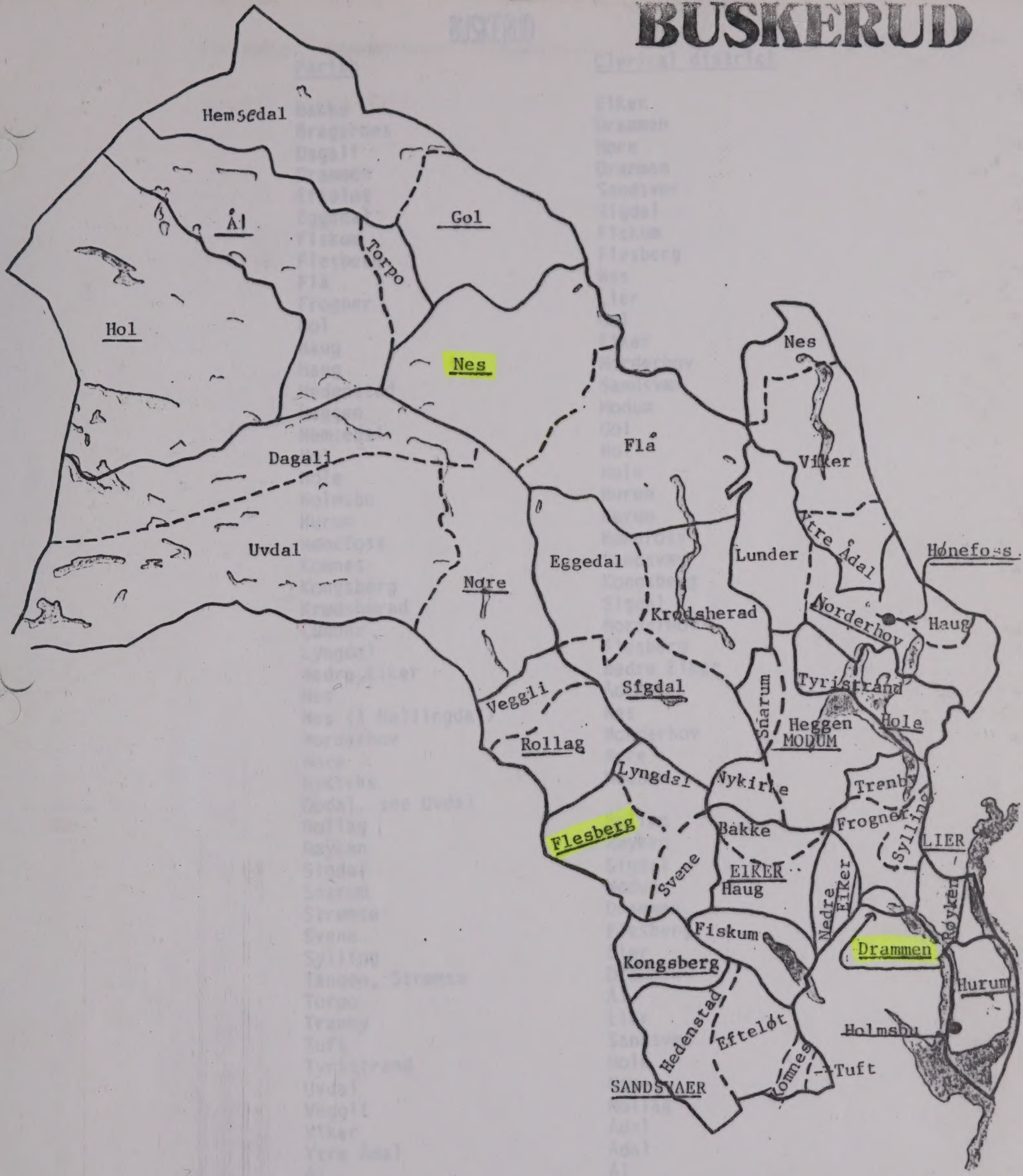
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TITLE

Sogneprestenes manntall 1664-1666. Census

NOTES

I: Norge. Skatekammerkollegiet. Manntall 1664-1666.

CONTENTS

This census was taken by the local parish priests. It lists the name of the farms, names of farm owners (including widows), the sons of the farm owners, male farm hands, cottagers and their sons, and the ages of each person. There was another census taken by the civil authorities at this same time. Both censuses should be searched as they supplement each other. This clerical census is more complete.

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Folketælling 31 December 1865. Census

NOTES
I: Norge. Rentekammeret. Folketellingen, 1865.

CONTENTS
This census contains the persons name, residence, status in the family, occupation, sex, martial status, place of birth, religion if not a member of the state church, and other miscellaneous information. Each book usually contains one clerical district (prestegjeld). In some books there are two clerical districts recorded. The parishes and school districts in each clerical district are listed at the beginning of each book.

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Buskeruds amt (Buskerud fylke) -- 0123039
b. 125 Næs (Nes i Hallingdal) prestegjeld — item 4.
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Contains parish registers from the parishes Nes and Flå. Included the parishes Gol and Hemsedal until 1836.

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RKF CHRONOLOGY OF RESEARCH INTO LEVERSON FAMILY

In order to help anyone else understand my research into the Leverson family, it seems important to establish a chronology of what I knew when, and the steps along the path to what we know about this family today.

So, to start, going back **before 1987**, when we first started our research, here are some of the the things that I remember I knew about the Leverson family:

The "Leverson girls", as I always think of them, my Mom and her sisters were always very close, and all very active part of my childhood. They bossed each other around and argued a lot; still, the underlying love was unmistakable. Uncle Helmer and Aunt Lucille were close, too, but never quite in the same way as the sisters. I knew Sam & Aunt Thora, but I barely knew Uncle George.

I knew most of my Leverson cousins, some better than others. Betty Ludvigsen Aunt Helen), Midge and Keith Leverson (Uncle Helmer), my brothers and me all grew up in Zjackson and were part of each other's daily lives. Margaret Jane and Bob Budik (Aunt Olga) were often with us in Jackson, or we went to Redwood Falls. Margaret Jane was closest to my age, my very special cousin, and I really grieved when she died. Uncle Sam's kids---Vernon, Lucille, Orville, Kenneth, Harold---spent some holidays with us, but we never got to know each other very well. Everett (Uncle George) spent part of the summer each year visiting his Bruce grandparents but, again, I never knew him very well. I never saw Noreen (Uncle Elvin) until we were both adults.

Mom always took us along when she went to all the country cemeteries to decorate the graves before Decoration Day (Memorial Day), so I always knew that her mother, her little sister and her favorite grandmother were buried there.

I knew my Grandpa Leverson, of course; that his name was Albert Henry; that he had been christened Henry Albert and had changed the order of those names at some time in his life. I knew quite a lot about his life as a farmer in Jackson County, and, for some rather vague period of time, in Douglas County, somewhere in northern Minnesota. I remembered him well, not favorably, in his old age, because he frequently came to live with us for long periods of time.

I knew that my Leverson great-grandfather's name was Herbrand and that he had changed that name to be called Herbert sometime later in his life. I knew that he had part of his nose

bitten off. *[For more details, see his RIN]*. I guess I knew that he died in Jackson and I think I had seen some record of his death. I knew that he had a whole lot of children. I was sort of aware of some of them but not aware of others. I knew a lot of names, but I knew nothing about their birth order, or where they were born, and very little about the people.

I was brought up calling Annie and Charlie Evers "Aunt" and "Uncle". I knew they weren't really that, and I sort of knew she was Mom's cousin, but I was well grown before I knew she was Charley Leverson's daughter. I don't remember ever seeing most of the Leversons during my Jackson childhood, although it is possible that I did, since most of them lived nearby. Maybe, kid-like, I just never registered on who they were. Goodness knows there were enough elderly relatives around all those years to allow any child to be confused. But, for certain, I did not know any of them, except Annie & Charley Evers, to have any memories of them.

I knew that my great-grandmother's name was Kari, and I always thought that was a pretty name when pronounced the Norwegian way, with a soft "a" and the "r" trilled on the tongue. I thought her last name was Laude--that's what I had always been told; that her father was a man named Anders Laude; that her mother's name was Andrine. Those are the records as they are in the Jackson court house vital statistics.

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By 1987, when we *[Jeff and I]* were in Jackson for my 45th high school reunion, we had done some research and gotten some information and documents. Among those was an obituary for Great-Grandmother Kari Leverson and one for Grandfather Albert Leverson. I never found one at that point for Herbrand. *[I think I had documentation of his death.]* At that time we went through the family records and collected a fair amount of information about many members of my family: Kings, Rovangs, Husebys, etc., but not a whole lot on the Leversons. Mostly there had just not been time enough to trace everyone, and the other lines were more compelling to me then simply because I knew much more about them.

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As I think back now, it was then, while I was going through the Jackson County birth records that I found the name Martin Lande, who I thought might be a family member. I wasn't sure how and he was a much more current generation, contemporary with me. But I wrote that down, thinking that at some time it might be useful. [See Lande records for specific data about him]

That was also when I got documentation *[in the Jackson birth records]* of Aunt Helen's and Uncle George's birth. He was recorded as George Kanelius Herbrandsen; Helen as Helene Gurine Herbrandsen, and their father as Albert Herbrandsen. This was the first clue I had that the name had not always been Leverson.

Our serious research into the Leverson family began in **June of 1990**, when we made our first major research trip, starting in Jackson, where we obtained a number of records. One of these was the Minnesota census for 1885, specifically for Kimball Township, in the county of Jackson. On that census, family #2 was listed as Herbernd*(sic)* Leversen, 53; Caroline, 54; both b. Norway; Levi, 29; Julia, 23; Charles, 21; (these 3 b. Wis.; Austin, 18; Helen,16; Tilda, 13; & Helmer, 11. (rest b. Minn.) The very next family listed was Albert Leverson, 24, b. Wis., parents both b. Norway; his wife Sarah, 27, b. Norway; & their children, Helen, age,2,b. Minn.; & George, 10/12, b. Minn.

Both of the above illustrate that Norwegian immigrant families in the late 1800s were extensively changing and anglicizing their names in the civil records, but they usually faithfully kept the old names and patterns in the church records. Both families were now called Leverson *[although Herbrand still used the Norwegian -sen, and Albert had switched to the -son now so common]*; Levor had become Levi; Kari was Caroline; Sigrid was Sarah, and so on.

I should add here that by this time we had done a lot of research on the Rovangs and the Husebys, which had given me a real appreciation of how little attachment the Norwegians had to any particular name in those early immigrant years. You could

feel them searching out naming patterns for themselves in this new country. Sometimes they would use their patronymics; sometimes variations on their first names for a last name; sometimes they used the farm name. [1]

The third name in Norway was the name of the farm you were either born on, lived on or owned. It was an identification not unlike a street address, of where you came from, not necessarily an official part of your name. Many Norsk immigrants dropped that name simply because they had never considered it to be "theirs" in that official sense. This, of course, accounts for the widely held stereotype that all Norwegians are named Olson, Johnson, Peterson, etc.. A great many are. Many others, trying to identify themselves in the new world, and separate themselves from all the others with the same patromynics, either kept their farm name, or took it back later.

Then, on top of everything else, there was so much difficulty, and no doubt frustration, because the Norwegians spoke limlted, heavily accented English at best[2]. The civil servants with whom the Norwegians dealt--census takers, town officials, and so on--were of largely English background, often themselves barely literate, and they could not understand the names given to them for official records. That pressure contributed to the attempts Norwegians made to anglicize their names, as well as their desire to feel more at home in their new country.

So, as I've said, knowing the naming customs was a great help. You really couldn't figure out who anybody was unless you knew all the possible variations on their names.

Also on the 1990 Jackson trip, we obtained copies of a good many land records for both Herbrand and Albert, so we had a good idea of where their farms were. We traced almost all of the graves and recorded all the information from the tombstones. Our much more careful and painstaking research approach started with that 1990 trip.

After leaving Jackson, Jeff and I for the first time visited Gerhard Naeseth, the Norwegian genealogist for the Genealogical

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[1] Norwegian women were also accomodating to their new culture. In Norway, a woman never took her husband's name, but was always known by her father's patronymic, i.e., she would have her first name *[always following a rigid pattern of naming for first the husband's mother, then the mother's mother; etc.]*; her other name was her father's first name, followed by "datter", or daughter. Since women had little participation in land transactions, we trace their developing naming patterns in their new country primarily through church and census records.

[2] Again, many immigrant Norwegian women never learned English at all. Their lives were more proscribed; they lived on their farms, attended Norwegian speaking churches, and for several generations brought their children generations brought their children up to speak Norwegian at home. This was all true for the Leverson girls.

Center of Westerheim [the Norwegian American Museum] at the Univ. of Wisconsin in Madison *[the museum itself is located in Decorah, Iowa]*. Mr. Naeseth was an elderly man widely considered to be the dean of Norwegian genealogists. For many years he labored to write a definitive history of Norwegian immigrants to this country in the years 1825-1850, just under 4,000 recorded people. His plan was to publish his findings in five volumes. He thought he would soon be ready to publish Volume I covering the years 1825-1843, which included the Herbrandsens. He was also working on the next two volumes, and Volume III will cover the Landes.

I sat with him not more than a half hour in his tiny cubbyhole of an office way back behind all the stacks in the University library, where he did his incredible research with a staff of two people in a space about 10' by 10', lined with books & film machines & stacks of neatly filed records. What was amazing about Mr. Naeseth was his encyclopedic memory of every family, every name, and his ability to locate them on his index cards pulled from one of innumerable file cabinets without a moment's hesitation. It was a rare privilege to work with him, even briefly.

My goal at that point was to try to find out more about the Leversons and what I thought were the Laudes. The first thing he said to me was that he knew the name was not Laude, but was Lande, and that there was a farm in the Hallingdal by that name. He said he was pretty sure that he knew who they were because he was doing research for his book at that point on the Koshkonong settlement[3]. He pulled some index cards out of a file and documented *at that very moment* that these were indeed my great-great-grandparents; that my great-great-grandfather's name was Anders Helliksen Lande; and that my great-great grandmother's name was Berit Uliksdatter Unneberget. I wrote down the birth dates and places and their parents' names that he had recorded on a 3x5 card; the ship they came on (the **TRICOLOR**) and the year they emigrated here from Norway. That was a pretty exciting half hour!

At the same time he told me that finding Leverson was not nearly as hard as I thought it would be because Levor was a very uncommon name in Norway other than in one particular area in the Hallingdal, and that there were a great many Levors there. At that point he pulled out a microfilm of what I now know was the Nes-in-Hallingdal parish record. Amazingly quickly he pinpointed what he was almost certain was my family, which was the first time I heard the name Levor Herbrandsen; and that the name of the family farm was Mylie. *[In the christening record it was spelled*

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[3] That was the first time I had ever heard of the Koshkonong settlement. In Dane County, Wisconsin, it was one of the first and most populous areas of Norwegian settlements. Anders and Berit Lande were part of that settlement, about which we subsequently learned a great deal more.

Mhli] Sure enough, there in the record was Herbrand, my Great-Grandfather, being born to Levor Herbrandsen, Myli, and Guro Christiansdatter[4].

We went then to Jackson, where I did some more work on sorting out the names of Herbrand Leverson's children. I got pretty clear about who they were; took some names out of the family that I had there; added some others in, and wound up again using Kari's obituary, which lists the nine surviving children at the time of her death.

I could remember the grownups talking about Grandpa's brother named Austin, who had died as a child, and I got some documentation on his death at age 18 in Jackson Co. I discovered that Levor and Guro's first three children were born in Wisconsin, the others all in Minnesota, although only Helmer, the last one, was born in Jackson Co.

I had a fair amount of information to work on and I built some Family Group Records around Albert and Herbrand. I also became sure at that time that the man I knew as Levi Levor was indeed Herbrand's son, not his brother. Partly I knew that because I was beginning to understand the naming patterns, i.e., the first son is always named for the father's father, the second son for the mother's father, then on to the grandfathers, etc.. Once I knew Herbrand's father's name was Levor it became obvious that Levi was named for his grandfather. Levi is also an anglicized name. Gerhard Naeseth was adamant that the name Levi is never used in Norway. It is always Levor.

At that time I tried to find out when Herbrand might have come to this country. Mr. Naeseth went back to the microfilm and looked through the immigration records, but we were not sure who we were looking for or when he might have come to the USA. The theory both of us were working on was that he most likely had come here as a young adult. We found no one with his name. Mr. Naeseth said that sometimes single male adults had slipped through immigration with no record, and that was his best suggestion. I wasn't very satisfied with that idea, but there was nothing else I could do at that point.

I knew that my Grandfather Albert Leverson was born in a town called Spring Valley, Wisconsin. Mr. Naeseth knew of the early Norwegian settlement there, and he gave us very careful directions for getting to Spring Valley, including how to find the Norwegian Lutheran Church & turn left, etc.--very specific

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[4] Jeff at this point pointed out that Aunt Helen's middle name, Gurine, could be related to her grandmother's name, Guro. My great-great-grandmother's name was Guro; her mother's name was Guri; and we wondered if there was a tradition of giving girls different variations on the same name. We later found that was an accurate observation.

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Starting with the Birth Records, what was interesting was what I did not find. I had information on specific birth dates for the Leverson children and the Landes. I found none of them in the early records, which start in 1852. Actually, that's an extremely misleading date because the earliest records were so sketchy; they were almost entirely a record of one particular family and nothing else[6]. There were huge gaps & inconsistencies until the town personnel glued those early records all together (literally) in 1863. From then on they seem to be quite complete. I copied down whatever I could find.

When I got to the Marriage Record, one of the things that interested me was a wedding recorded in the first book between a man whose name meant nothing to me and a woman whose name was Aase Levorsdatter Mylie. That name startled me because I knew that was my great-great-great-grandmother's name from the [old Norwegian church] records I had found in Salt Lake City. So the name just stuck right out at me. Then, when I looked at the date of her birth I could see that it was not her, but it was very likely to be someone in the family, so I copied that down.

To my amazement I did not find Herbrand and Kari's wedding record, which was fixed in my mind as something I had known for a long time took place in Spring Valley, yet it was not there. In the marriage records, I did also find a number of interesting things. One of them was a wedding certificate for Herbrand Herbrandsen, who I later realized was indeed my gr-gr-grandfather's brother. *[Fortunately, I had a zerox copy made].* There were other weddings I thought might be significant at some point, and I copied down everything I thought could possibly have any relationship to me.

I was a bit disappointed that, except for those two major finds, I found nothing. When I thought about it, however, I realized that, if Kari & Herbrand had not been married in Spring Valley, it made sense that the Landes had also not lived in Spring Valley Township, and that we would find her marriage record where her parents had lived, most likely in Dane County. From what I knew by that time about the short interval between her wedding date and the birth of her first child, there was a good liklihood that he would also have been born in her mother's home, where she would have been under her mother's care. Chances were that this young, very pregnant bride had stayed with Momma

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[6] We have found this to be true in every town we have researched. The beginning of record keeping is a very fragile process. Since so many of my ancestors were among the very earliest settlers wherever they went, we have almost encountered the same problem--they simply were there before accurate records were established.

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At this point we went over to the Wisconsin State Historical Society and began to examine the oldest Probate Records. Jeff came up with some incredible data about the probate of Levor Herbrandsen, and in that not only was there documentation of the land he had owned, but the date of his death and the names of all six of his children and some of their spouses, as well as the fact that his wife Guro had survived him. *[Copies in file].* Once again, we got an impressive amount of information from the probate[7]

There were no probate records in the whole collection of Rock County records for Leversons or Landes. There were a couple of Levers, which I was pretty sure were not ours. Two Levi Levers, and from what I knew about the family at that point, I was quite certain they were not ours. There were three Herbrandsens and one called Lavora, which may well have been Levorsen. *[In fact we think it was ours.]* But that file, which was one of the earliest files, was empty when we got to it, and not a clue could be found about its contents. There were probate records on Hendricksens, and I have not recorded before that we have accumulated a lot of information on Hendricksens. They came from Mylie at the same time, and the same names run through both families: Levor, Hendrick, Christian--there seems to be good reason to believe these people are also part of our family, but I'm not sure at this point where they fit. We do have a lot of information about them in our files, probably more than we ever needed to know, but there it is in case we ever want to look for it.

Tuesday morning we were back in the court house. While Jeff was going through the probate records, I spent some time going through an old history book on Rock County. I found a very small reference to a place called Borints, where the Emmigranten, a Norwegian newspaper, had been printed in the mid to late 1800s. We looked for that on a township map. We found it right near Orfordville, very near the land Levor had owned. What was even more interesting was that we noted a Norwegian Lutheran Church on the map right there. Levor's land was on the very edge of Christiana Township, and the adjacent township was Plymouth Township. It looked as though this church was in Plymouth, the closest one to their farm, therefore the one they would most likely have attended.

So we started off on another field trip, driving to Borints. After a short drive we came to a tiny little settlement, probably four or five houses on a crossroad that seemed to be Borints. Off on a side street was a big old house that looked very much as

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[7] *Gerry Haslin, my genealogy instructor in Salt Lake City told me I would always be rewarded if I just examined probate records carefully. From now on we will never forget that.*

though it might have been a church at some point, kind of a big old steeple-like prominence on its roof. We pulled up in the driveway, where we found a nice young mother and her two little daughters, all of whom were just as bright and cheery as they could be. She told us that their home had once been a parsonage.

One of the things I had noticed in many of the records I'd been finding was that Levor's daughters were married in a parsonage in Plymouth. It seemed plausible that this was indeed the place where they had been married, and that there had not been a church at that time. At this point, the young mother we were talking to said, "Well, you should go to the old Norwegian church that's just up the road". She said she knew the minister lived right next door, and chances were we would find something there.

So, again, in one of those amazing twists that make genealogy such fun, we drove probably a quarter of a mile across the townnship line from Plymouth County into Newark County, and there was this small, nice, not terribly old Norwegian church. Just across the street was a small cemetery with some obviously very old markers in it. Entering the seemingly deserted building, we found a woman preparing a room for the Ladies Aid Society meeting. She told us that Pastor Berg was out of town for a week; the secretary was out to lunch, and we would have to wait because she knew nothing that would help us. While we waited we went over to the old cemetery , where we found a couple of interesting stones. One of them I wrote down in some detail and made a sketch, although it turned out later that it was not one of ours. This was a stone for a man named Guttorm Olsen, with the farm name Roen. I knew that was the name of Aase Levorsdatter's husband. *(We later discovered this was not the same man.)* The stone that was most interesting was one which said, in Norwegian, "Here under God or under heaven was a son, Knud Leverson, born 5 Aug 1842, died 19 Sep 1865, 23 years & 44 days. I was almost positive that this was Levor Herbrandsen's son.

By this time the secretary had reappeared. Sure enough, as we have found so often on these searches, when the civil records did not yet exist, some religious group was copying everything down. She went immediately to a huge old safe in her office, opened it up and took out the original church books dating back to when the church was started. The first book indicated that this was the Luther Valley Church, founded in 1846, and the first record went from 1845 to 1856. The first item in it was a register of people as they joined the church. It was an alphabetical index.

It was absolutely thrilling to go through that index because there they were, my Leverson ancestors, one after the other. Under A was Aase Levorsdatter, Pige *[girl]*, and the dates when she, later on the others, either were confirmed or joined the church. Under C was Christian, Ungkar *[bachelor]*, and so on. I

recorded all the information about them, and it is in their family group records.

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Certainly one of the most interesting finds was confirmation of Levor Herbrandsen's death and burial. His was the seventh burial of that church. The first six were infants anywhere between a day old and 6 or 7 months old. Almost all were babies under a year old, except for a couple who were 2 or 3 year old children, but all very little. He was the first adult to be buried in that cemetery. All of them had died within the same period of about a week, and they had obviously held the bodies for a few days while they waited for the pastor to come, so that he and the babies were all buried at the same time. I think that's rather nice. We were also able to confirm the death records for the Knud Leversen whose stone we had seen in the cemetery. We were sure he was indeed our Knud, son of Levor, who died at the age of 23.

We then went back again to the cemetery to see if we could determine where Levor was buried. The old part of the cemetary has been beautifully reconstructed , but it was not done chronologically, nor did the tombstones attempt to match with a body buried beneath them. Interestingly enough, and very attractive to view, what they had done was to gather up scattered fragments of old tombstones and put them back together with new concrete bases neatly spaced out across the front of the cemetery. It seemed a nice way to honor those old stones and the people buried there. What you can see, then, is the site where Levor was buried, with tombstones of that time laid out, but not on graves. At any rate, there was no stone that had any markings whatever indicating it was Levor's. Still, we left there with a peaceful certainty that he was indeed buried right in that spot.

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[8] Subsequent research has made it almost certain that the youngest children were born in Mower County, MN; the last child, Helmer, was born in Jackson Co. This all still needs to be documented.

It would be hard to decide what was the most interesting thing I found, there was so much and it was all so marvelous to find. Most important was the confirmation of my grandfather's birth and baptism and that of his older sister and the next several siblings. We did not confirm as many of them as we had thought we would. Some of the ones we had thought were born in Wisconsin, and indeed that the census records said were born in Wisconsin, were not there, and we still don't know where we are going to find them. It's obvious that there was another move, or some other reason we can't justify at this point, for why these children are not recorded in these birth records[1].

Certainly one of the most interesting finds was confirmation of Levor Korbrenden's death and burial. He was the seventh burial of that church. The first six were infants anywhere between a day old and 6 or 7 months old. Almost all were babies under a year old, except for a couple who were 2 or 3 year old children, but all very little. He was the first adult to be buried in that cemetery. All of them had died within the same period of about a week, and they had obviously held the bodies for a few days while they waited for the pastor to come, so that he and the babies were all buried at the same time. I think that's rather nice. We were also able to confirm the death record for the Knud Levorsen whose stone we had seen in the cemetery. We were sure he was indeed our Knud, son of Levor, who died at the age of 23.

We then went back again to the cemetery to see if we could determine where Levor was buried. The old part of the cemetery has been beautifully reconstructed , but it was not done chronologically, nor did the tombstones attempt to match with a body buried beneath them. Interestingly enough, and very attractive to view, what they had done was to gather up scattered fragments of old tombstones and put them back together with new concrete bases neatly spaced out across the front of the cemetery. It seemed a nice way to honor those old stones and the people buried there. What you can see, then, is the site where Levor was buried, with tombstones of that time laid out, but not on graves. At any rate, there was no stone that had any markings whatever indicating it was Levor's. Still, we left there with a peaceful certainty that he was indeed buried right in that spot.

After completing our fascinating search of those records, we drove back to Janesville and went to the public library, where we managed to look through old census records. There we made several more discoveries.

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[1] [illegible]

In the 1850 Wisconsin census for Spring Valley we found what I felt certain was my Great-Great-Grandmother Guro, who seemed to be married to a man named John Johnsen. She was listed as Guro Johnsen. Under her name were two Johnsen children, Tulef (Sic), and Julia, ages 8 & 19; then 6 children whose last name was given as Lewison, whose names were Helbran, Christian, Knut, Osey, Julia, and Yugbo!![9] That was all we found in the 1850 census, but it was a most important find.

In the 1860 census, I found nothing of any interest except Levor Hendricksen. I neglected to write down anything about him, so I only know there was someone there by that name, not necessarily any relationship to us[10].

Then, in the 1870 Spring Valley census, at the top of the page, was a woman named Guro Leverson, age 72, keeping house, and living with Knute Leverson, age 26, farmer.

I feel so sure that is "my" Guro, widowed again, living with a young bachelor who must be her son Knute. I don't know how that is possible, because the Knut Leverson we know, who was born in Norway, died at 23. First we thought he might be Christian's son. But he was born in the United States, and this Knute, both in the 1870 & 1880 census, both Jeff and I had recorded was born in Norway. We will have to clear up that mystery. For now, my working theory is that this is indeed the Knute that I know and that this is my Guro, widowed a second time, living with her son.

In the 1870 census I also found Henry Hendricksen again with all his family. Next door I found Ole Levorsen, with 2 children. The only other name I found in that census of any possible interest to us was a Knut Hendricksen .

In the 1880 Spring Valley census we found Knud Lever, with his wife Caroline, son Levi, daughter Julie, daughter Clara, son Thomas--and Guro, aged 79, mother. So now we know her death occurred after this date, and chances are we will find she was buried somewhere near Spring Valley[11].

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[9] The poor old census taker really lost it at that point-- I am sure this is Ingebor. but she is also listed as male! She is the only person it could be, because everyboby else is there, it's the right age, and I'm sure they didn't have anybody named Yugbo, whatever else they did.

[10] Later we confirmed that he was a cousin of Levor Herbrandsen, that their fathers were brothers. He is the father of the Knud Leverson who is buried in the Luther Valley Church cemetery.

[11] We have already determined that she is not buried in the Luther Valley cemetery.

So, after a thorough search of the census records, we had some important additional gaps. One of them is the last one detailed above. Another is that we found nothing about Anders Helliksen Lande, or about any other Leversons. But we felt we had accomplished all we could, so we drove to Madison, had a good dinner in a nice restaurant and went--very tired--to bed.

Wednesday morning we got up, and the first thing we did was go to the Univ. of Wisconsin campus in Madison. We both went first to the Historical Society, the building next to the Genealogical Center. I had not made an appointment, but with a phone call I confirmed that, although Mr. Naeseth was out of town, I could see one of his staff if I went over there immediately. I did that, and spent a very short but interesting and important time there with Blaine Hedberg, the Assistant Director. Mostly, it was apparent that they had moved much further in their own research, and now had a lot of documentation about the family of Levor Herbrandsen, a lot they had not had a year ago.

My own research, to my pleased surprise, had given me almost all of the same data. They had cards on each of the children: birth dates, spouses, etc., most of which I had already obtained, but this was further confirmation. The most important confirmation was that indeed all six of those children had been born in Norway, and had come to this country with their parents, the date they came and that they emigrated from Norway in May 1843 on the ship Johanna. That data was the most important new find I got there. I also got a reference number so that I can get back to Mr. Naeseth & match data with him, and confirm the rest of the information I need from him later.

I also confirmed Guro's second marriage, and the date of the wedding. When I think about it, now that I have seen the gap in the census records, we may find her as Guro Johnson, not Leverson, so that just opens up another question mark about where we will finally find her. It is so important to me to trace my ancestors to their graves, a way of honoring them. I will find her grave some time, but she is surely not making it easy for me!

The other major thing that Blaine confirmed was that the reason we were having trouble finding Anders Helliksen Lande was that he was listed in the census as Anders Alliksen. *[Again, you can hear that census taker trying to hear a Norwegian say Helliksen and getting Alliksen out of it]*. Armed with that information I went back, and sure enough, there he was in the census with his family. Kari was not listed with them, just the two boys, but it is confirmation that the family was there.

1993

We spent several days in Madison, poring over records at Vesterheim & the state archives. We found only a few definitve

additions, but nice ones.

First, and most important, I proved that the Knud Levorson who is buried in the Luther Valley Cemetery is not our Knud, but probably the son of Levor Hendrickson. Here are the facts: Hendrich Herbrandsen Mylie probably had two sons, **Henrich Hendrichsen**, b. abt 1774; and **Herbrand Henrichsen**, b. July 1767. Herbrand's second son is documented as **Levor Herbrandsen**; there is no documentation to date for **Levor Hendrichsen** as the son of Hendrich. However, we do know that **Levor Hendrichsen** and his wife **Margareth Levorsdatter** were living in Spring Valley in 1860 *[Census]*, and were parishioners of the Luther Valley Church. Our working theory is that their son Knud[12] is the young man buried in the cemetery there. This theory needs proof, but all the evidence points in that direction. This includes the strong probability that Guro was living with Knud (or Canute) and Caroline, his wife in the two censuses previously detailed. This theory is further bolstered by the discovery in microfilm of the Nes-Buskerud Parish Register that Knud was born 14 Oct 1842 and christened 6 Nov 1842. (Not the birth date on the tombstone). Unfortunately I did not record the microfilm data necessary to firmly establish that fact, and will have to repeat the process, as well as document the birth and christening dates for Levor Hendrichsen.

The second most important discovery is that Guro Christiansdatter Dokken Mili did enter into a second marriage to John Johnsen Brostrud 18 June 1848 *[Ref. #846 Naeseth]*; she is listed with him in the 1850 census. He seems to have died some time soon after that, as there is no trace of him again. We think that by the time she is recorded in the 1860 census living with her son, John was dead and she had returned to using either the name Guro Lever or Guro Leverson.

The Dane Co. Census for 1850 lists both Anders Alliksen and Bergit, his wife. The next census I've discovered them is in 1880, also Dane Co., where he is listed as Anders Alliksen, wid., living with his son. To date we don't know more about them, including where they are buried.

I also found birth and baptism dates for all of Levor and Guro's children in the microfilm of Nes-Buskerud Parish Registers at Vesterheim.

1994

In July of 1994 I got the sad news that Gerhard Naeseth had

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[12] Following Norwegian custom, both young men were named for their (mutual) paternal grandfather, and carried their father's patronymics; therefore, both were named Knud Leverson.

died of cancer, unfortunately leaving a great void in his unfinished work. He accomplished so much in his lifetime, but my fear was that his great project might never be finished and published. Blaine Hedberg was made Acting Director. I think he is very capable, but he is not a Naeseth, either by knowledge or by disposition. Time will tell if he can do the job. For all our sakes I certainly hope so[13].

I flew to Madison in October and spent a week by myself at the new quarters of the Vesterheim Genealogical Center and Naeseth Library in Madison. They moved into their fine new building in 1993 and it is an enormous improvement.

First of all the good news: Volume I of Mr. Naeseth's book was in print and I bought a copy. There, on page 229, are Levor Herbrandsen, Guro and all six of their children. What a thrill.

I worked hard all that week, arriving at the Center the moment it opened at 9 AM, leaving there only when forced to because they closed at 5 PM. I was amply rewarded with a lot of new information. I spent a lot of my time working on the Rovangs *[my Dad's mother's family]*, none of which applies here.

I spent most of my time there poring over microfilms of early parish records in Norway, a lsow and painstaking task. This is especially true because they are in Norwegian, and written in often very poor handwriting. I pride myself in the proficiency I have developed in puzzling them out. *[See Leverson notes for details]*

By previous arrangement, brother Don drove from Minneapolis and picked me up in Madison. We started off to explore family sites. Our time on Friday afternoon and Saturday morning was mostly consumed by driving around to teach him something of the Leverson, Lande, and Porter-King histories. It was such fun to share it with him, although it was bitter cold, and he had a bad cold, so I'm not sure how much he got out of it. We barely got a start when the water pump on his car broke. Since it was a Saturday afternoon, we spent the weekend mostly sitting in our motel rooms gabbing and enjoying one another. Not many great genealogical breakthroughs there.

1995

There endeth my notes. Jeff's Leverson Notes are a substantial backup to this, as are the FGRs & files. There are a few intriguing unfinished pieces, but I really think we have fairly

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[13] Blaine Hedberg has been named Director, and he plans to complete the work on all five volumes of Naeseth's work. Praise be.

well accomplished our goal of putting the pieces together and telling the story of the Leversons, at least for now.

There are some intriguing mysteries left:

When and where did Guro die? Where is she buried?

Can we ever discover the cause of Levor's untimrly death so soon after he brought his family to America? We think it was most likely an accident, as opening up those new farms was so brutal, he was quite young, and had just negotiated for a lot of land.

Can we definitively prove our theory about the two Knuds? I feel sure I'm right, yet it needs absolute proof if we can find it.

What more can we find out about the Landes? Where did they live, die, get buried?

What else can we find about Herbrand's siblings? Where did they live? Who & where are their descendants?

Oh well, the list does go on and on. That's genealogy!

In dwelling 160 (p 400) was the family of Abraham Levorson, 33, & wife Caroline, 30. Children: Levor, 5; Caroline, 4; Albert, 1. Parents b. Norway; all children b. Wisc. Next door, dwelling 161, was Canute Levorson, 17, a laborer b. Norway. *[Herbrand and Kari by this time had anglized their names to "Abraham" and "Caroline."*

Note: Also in 1860 Census: Herbrand Herbrandson (& Lisa, Narve, Siva) Dane Co, WI, v 3, p 196, Primrose. *[This family may also be kin.]*

8 JUNE 1990. MINNESOTA STATE HISTORICAL SOCIETY, ST. PAUL.

Here we tried to trace the arrivals of the Leverson & Huseby families in Minnesota. This was complicated by the fact that Leversons sometimes used Herbrandson as their surname, as was proper in Norway (Albert's eldest daughter, whom we knew as Helen Leverson, was christened Herbrandson), and the Huseby surname was not often used until after Gunder Arntson's death. Our task was further complicated because 1870-80 US Censuses are indexed by county, *while the 1875-85 Minn. Censuses are not indexed at all & one must go thru microfilms township by township. RKF believes the Leversons came via Mower Co & the Husebys via Goodhue Co to Jackson Co, so we concentrated on those, looking for the following names: Arntson, Hellikson, Herbrandson, Leverson, Lande (Laude), Huseby, Kyllo. (I gave up on Anders Anderson when I found* 35 *in the 1870 index!) * indicates those that should be checked on microfilm of census rolls.*

1870 US Census -- only ones of the above found were as follows:

Jackson Co, Petersburg Twp, vol I-M, p 124,126:
  Dwelling & family 18: H.B.Herbrandson, 26, farmer; Betsy, 26; both b. Norway; Betsy, 9/12, b. Minn.
  Dwelling & family 27: E. L or B___? Herbrandson, 27, farmer; Mary, 25; both b. Norway.
  [Not our family--could be kin.]

Fillmore Co *(next county E of Mower, where no one found)* Index references only:
  Leverson, Andrew 277 Fountain
  Leverson, Knute(?) 176 Carrollton *[possible lead to our Canute?--should be followed through]*
  * + many other Leversons in other townships
  Hellickson, Anter (sic) 076 Bloomfield
  *Herbranson, Levi 564 Rushford
  * " Carrie " "
  * " Caroline 539 "
  [1993--none are ours--could be kin]

1875 Minn. Census -- examined only 2 townships

Jackson Co, Kimball Twp: NO Leversons
" " Petersburg " : H.B.Herbrandson as in 1870 + Valina, 2
[1993--not ours--kin??]

1880 US Census -- only ones among above names found as follows, but Index incomplete so failure to find others does not mean they weren't there.

Jackson Co, Wisconsin Twp, p 12, dwelling & family 91:(faint!)
Herbrand Leverson, 50?; A.Caroline, 50?; both b. Norway;
Henry (this is Albert), 21; Lena(?), 15; both b. Wis;
Austin, 13; Helen, 10; Tilda, 8; Helmer, 6; all b. Minn.
[Birth locations of children confirms that the family came to Minn. between 1865 & 1867.]

Jackson Co, Petersburg Twp, p 3-4, dwelling & family 26:
E_____Herbrandson, age illeg; Mary, 27; both b. Norway;
Henry, 10; Anna, 8; Ole, 4; Joseph, 2/12; all b. Minn.
[1993--not ours]

1885 Minn. Census

Jackson Co, Kimball Twp, p 1, families 2 & 3:
Herbrand Leverson, 53; Caroline, 54; both b. Norway; Levi, 29; Julia, 23; Charles, 21; (these 3 b. Wis.) Austin, 18; Helen, 16; Tilda, 13; Helmer, 11; (rest b. Minn.)
Albert Leverson, 24, b. Wis; Sarah, 27, b. Norway; Helen, 2; George, 2/12; both b. Minn.

Jackson Co, Wisconsin Twp (part illeg)
Clara Mikelson, 28, b. Minn. *(This is Herbrand's daughter, Clara Leverson)*

19 JUNE 1991. DANE COUNTY, WISCONSIN. (LEVERSON+LANDE)

Dane County is gently rolling farm country, not nearly as hilly as Walworth and Rock Counties, further south. The soil here seems even more fertile: the corn today is already thigh-high (50 years ago farmers predicted a good crop if the corn was "knee-high by the 4th of July.") Koshkonong Creek courses south through the eastern end of Dane County, passing through the pleasant little villages of Cambridge and Rockdale. This prairie was the site of the Koshkonong Settlement, one of the first and most populous areas of Norwegian settlement. It was so large that it supported two churches, the East and West Koshkonong parishes -- both Lutheran, of course.

We found the East Koshkonong churches late on a early summer afternoon. They stand on a rise -- steep for this part of

the country -- on East Church Road, just west of its intersection with Hillside Road. I say churches because there are two sturdy, late 19th century structures separated only a peaceful, tree-shaded cemetery. A violent disagreement over predestination split the parish in twain, and each maintained an entirely separate existance (the church higher on the hill was the "First East Koshkonong Lutheran Church; the lower the "East Koshkonong Lutheran Church") until the congregations finally decided to join again in 1961!

We found the assistant pastor, the Rev. Mr. Christianson, a white-shocked gentleman in his late 60s, and he showed us some of the relics of the early days. Most striking was the altar on which the founding pastor celebrated his first service here in 1844. It is half of a roughly split log about 3 feet long, standing about 2 feet high on 4 crude wooden legs.

17 JUNE 1991. ROCK COUNTY COURTHOUSE, JANESVILLE, WI. (LEVERSON+HELLICKSON)

Registrar of Deeds Office:

Deed vol 67, p 39: Patent: U.S. to Herbrandson, NW 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sect 25, Twp 2 N, Range 10 E (Spring Valley Twp.). 1 March 1848. (Xerox in file.) *[Yes, this is Levor Herbrandsen]*

Deed vol 45, p 194: Patent from U.S. to "Levor Erberan" 10 Feb 1848 granting to him SW 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sect 25. "Levor Erberan" is repeated twice in the document, but this is obviously Levor Herbrandson. *[Yes]*

Map of Sections 25, 26, 35, 36 in the Abstracts of Lands in Spring Valley Twp shows the original owner of NW 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sect 25 as "L. Herbrandson, 8 Feb 1845" & of SW 1/4 as "L'Erberan, 22 Aug 1846." Thus Levor Herbrandson was the original owner of these 2 plots, totaling 90 acres. This explains how 5 of his 6 heirs were able to quit claim SW 1/4 to the 6th, Herbrand Levorson, in 1855. Deed vol Z, p 265, xerox in files. [Note: Abstract of Lands gives date of latter transaction 20 Jan 1855, but the actual document states (in longhand script) 20 Jan 1845. Registry staff pointed out that the "forty" in the original deed is underlined in pencil, which is how the staff indicates an error. The affidavit was made in 1855, confirming that this transaction occurred after the death of Levor Herbrandson in 1846. Warranty deed of same land transfer 8 Mar 1860 in Deed vol 45, p 452, xerox in files.] *[Yes]*

Deed vol J, p 74: Indenture 20 Jan 1849 between Amos B. Conant & Catherine Rebecca his wife of Rock Co, parties of 1st part, & Hendrick Hendrickson of same county, party of 2nd part selling for $50 S 1/2 of NE 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sect 33, Spring Valley Twp containing 20 acres. Signed: Amos & Catherine Conant. *[No]* the country -- on East Church Road, just west of its intersection with Hillside Road. I say churches because there are two sturdy, late 19th century structures separated only a peaceful, tree-shaded cemetery. A violent disagreement over predestination split the parish in twain, and each maintained an entirely separate existence (the church higher on the hill was the "First East Koshkonong Lutheran Church; the lower the "East Koshkonong Lutheran Church") until the congregations finally decided to join again in 1961!

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Deed vol 67, p 30: Patent: U.S. to Herbrandsen, NW 1/4 of SE 1/4; Sect 25, Twp 4 N, Range 10 E (Spring Valley Twp.). 1 March 1848. (Xerox in file.) (Yes. This is Levor Herbrandson)

Deed vol 40, p 124: Patent from U.S. to "Levor Erbeian" 10 Feb 1848 granting to him SW 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sect 25. "Levor Erbeian" is repeated twice in the document, but this is obviously Levor Herbrandsen. (Yes)

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Deed vol 2, p 77: Indenture 20 Jan 1849 between Amos B. Conant & Catherine Rebecca his wife of Rock Co, parties of 1st part, & Hendrick Hendrickson of same county, party of 2nd part selling for $50 E 1/2 of NE 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sect 22, Spring Valley Twp containing 20 acres. Signed: Amos & Catherine Conant. (No)

Deed vol 33, p 460: Indenture 25 March 1854 between Christy (Chrsity? script indistinct) Harbrands daughter (sic) heir of Christian Ericksen, deceased, of Spring Valley, party of 1st part, & Ole Erickson of Spring Valley conveying for $300 NW 1/4 of SW 1/4, Sect 28; SW 1/4 of SW 1/4, Sect 28 in Spring Valley Twp. Signed Chritsy (sic) Herbrands daughter (her mark). [In following affidavit name looks like Christy. Entire text of both documents in same handwriting; name probably is "Christy."] *[No]*

Deed vol X, p 117: Indenture 25 April 1854 between Erick & Crista Trulson & Hendrick Hendrickson, both parties of Spring Valley, selling E 1/2 of NE 1/4 of NW 1/4 & E 1/2 of NE 1/4 of SW 1/4 & E 1/2 of SE 1/4 of NW 1/4, all in Sect 24, Spring Valley Twp. *[No]*

Deed vol 34, p 78: Indenture 1 Sept 1856 between Albertus L. Lynde of Wyoming Co, NY & Abram Lever of Rock Co. selling NW 1/4 of SW 1/4, Sect 27, Spring Valley Twp. *[Yes, this is Herbrand]*

Mort vol W, p 622: Indenture 8 April 1857 between Oly Olverson Mayhouse & Hendrick Hendrickson selling land in Spring Valley Twp & mortgage on the land. [Mortgage was paid 25 Feb 1865. Signed: Hendrick Hendrickson (his mark).] *[No]*

Deed vol 39, p 470: Court decree 30 Dec 1857 in Janesville dividing real estate of Hendrick Olson Rinn, late of Plymouth, Rock Co, deceased intestate. Names heirs as Ole Hendrickson (eldest son) & Annend, Knude, & Michael Hendrickson. (Christianson Hendrickson & K(?)ruel Halgrimson were the guardians of "said heirs" -- presumably the last 3 above were minors.) Ole bought out the other heirs & received W 1/2 of SW 1/4, Sect 19; SE 1/4 of SW 1/4, Sect 11, Spring Valley Twp. "All of said land subject to the right of dower of Christianson Hendrickson, mother of said heirs & widow of said deceased." *[No]*

Mort vol 5, p 85: Indenture 2 March 1858 between Herbrand Levordson (sic) & wife of Spring Valley, parties of 1st part, & Knud Levordson, party of 2nd part, selling for $182 SW 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sect 25, Spring Valley Twp. "This grant is intended as a security for the payment of the sum of $182, the said sum is with interest at lawful direction & that same sum is to be the receipt for him to have on his heritary portion after his father's death, according to the condition of a certain note this day executed & delivered by the said Herbrand Levordson & wife." Signed: Herbrand Levordson (his mark), Kari Andersdatter (her mark). Witnesses: Asle Olsen; Peder Hovelson (his mark). [Mortgage fully pd. 21 Jan 1865. Signed: Knud Leverson (his mark).] *[Yes, this is our family--a transfer of property inherited when father Levor died from Herbrand & Kari to brother Knute. One of the witnesses is sister Aase Herbrandsen, now Olson]*

Deed vol 46, p 174: Indenture 1 June 1860 between Henry Hend-

rickson of Rock Co, party of 1st part, & Ole Hendrickson of same co, party of 2nd part, selling for $2000 SW [rest of this erased by accident]. *[No]*

Deed vol 49, p 177: Abraham Leverson to Christian Leverson, 11 Oct 1861. "Between Abraham Leverson & his wife Caroline Leverson of the town of Plymouth, Co. of Rock, parties of 1st part, & Christian Leverson of same place, party of 2nd part...." Conveyence of land lying in the Twps. of Plymouth & Spring Valley: S 1/2 of NW 1/4 of NW 1/4, Sect 30; SW 1/4 of NW 1/4, Sect 30; SW 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sect 25, totaling 100 acres all in Twp 2 (Spring Valley). Signed by Abraham & Caroline w/ their marks.

[Once again, here we have Herbrand & Kari with their new, anglicized names, Abraham & Caroline, conveying land, again probably inherited from Levor, to brother Christian]

Deed vol 57, p 588: 9 June 1864, between Knut Leverson of Rock Co., party of 1st part, & Christ Leverson of same place, party of 2nd part. Conveyence of same parcel of land, this time designated as all in Twp. of Spring Valley (S 1/2 of NW 1/4 of NW 1/4, Sect 30; SW 1/4 of NW 1/4, Sect 30; SW 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sect 25). Signed Knut Leverson w/ his mark. *[Yes, a land deal between brothers Canute, now Knut & Christian, now Christ]*

Deed vol 58, p 468: Indenture 30 Sept 1864 between Abram Lever & Caroline Lever his wife of Deerfield, Dane Co, Wis, parties of 1st part, & George M. Smith of Rockford, Ill, selling NW 1/4 of SW 1/4, Sect 27, Spring Valley Twp. Signed: Abram Lever (his mark), Caroline Lever (her mark). *[Yes]*

Deed vol 66, p 600: Indenture 17 Jan 1867 between Ole Trulson & Gemejer (??) Trulson his wife of Spring Valley, parties of 1st part, & Me(c or v?)or Hendrickson of Plymouth, Rock Co, party of 2nd part, selling for $300 EE (sic) 1/4 part of SE 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sect 12, Spring Valley Twp containing 10 acres. Signed: Ole & ? Trulson. Witnesses: Daniel Mowe, Henrick Levorsn (final vowel omitted). *[No]*

Deed vol 67, p 441: Indenture 22 April 1867 between "C. Leverson, Isabel C. his wife, Kenute Leverson, Ole Everson & Julia his wife, all of Rock Co. Wis. & Guttram Olesen & Elizabeth his wife, A. Leverson & Caroline his wife, Knute Christopherson & Isabel his wife, of Minnesota, parties of 1st part, & Gurac Leverson of Spring Valley, party of 2nd part" for $1 have "released & quit claimed the NW 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sect 25 in (Spring Valley) Twp. Signed by C. Leverson, Isabelle C. Leverson, Knute Leverson (his mark), Ole Evenson, Julia Evenson (this spelling definite altho it looks more like Everson in text), Guttram Olsen, Elizabeth Olsen (her mark), A. Leverson (his mark), Caroline Leverson (her mark), Knud Christenson (sic), Isabel (sic) Christenson. [Following attestation from Mower Co., Minn, Clerk's Office states that Gutram (sic) & Elizabeth Olsen; A. & Caroline Leverson; &

Knud & Isabel Christopherson are personally known to him. Dated 17 May 1867.] *[This is a very important document, for several reasons: It names the spouses of all Herbrand's children. It gives the anglicized names of them all--Aase is Elizabeth, Ingebor is Isabel (as is her sister-in-law, Christian's wife, Guri is Julia, Kari is Caroline. It confirms that Kanute was alive, not the one who died in 1865. Finally. it shows Guro (mispelled as Gurac) was once again signing herself as Leverson (not Johnson) & living with her children in Spring Valley. So we know her 2nd husband was dead by then]*

Deed vol 67, p 442: Indenture 10 July 1867 between Gurac Leverson of Spring Valley, party of 1st part, & Kenute Leverson of same place, for $1500 "do release & quit claim" NW 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sect 25 in Spring Valley Twp. Signed: Gurac Leverson (his mark). *[Here is Guro again, again mispelled as Gurac, & son Canute, now Knudt]*

Mort vol 38, p 203: Indenture 25 March 1879 between Knudt Leverson & Kari Leverson his wife & Gurve (sic) Leverson, parties of 1st part, & David Harris, party of 2nd part, selling for $400 NW 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sect. 25, Spring Valley Twp. Goes on to say parties of 1st part will pay to party of 2nd part $400 at 8% interest, payable annually. Signed: Knudt Leverson (his mark), Kari Leverson (her mark), Gurve Leverson (her mark). *[This time Knut is buying land with his mother, once again mispelled, this time as Gurve & as Leverson.]*

Mort vol 38, p 219: Indenture 25 March 1879 between Knud Leverson & Kari Leverson his wife, parties of 1st part, & Guri Leverson, party of 2nd part, selling for $800 NW 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sect 25, Spring Valley Twp. Goes on to say parties of 1st part agree to pay to party of 2nd part $800 "according to the time of a certain bond bearing date 1 July 1864 executed by K. Leverson." Signed: Knudt Leverson (his mark), Kari Leverson (her mark). Witnesses: O.P.Gaarder, C. Leverson. *[Both of these items indicate that Guro was still alive in 1879.]*

Mort vol 46, p 472: Indenture 4 June 1883 between Knud Leverson & Caroline Leverson his wife of Spring Valley, parties of 1st part, & Nils L. Fossum of Newark, Rock Co., selling for $700 NW 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sect 25, Spring Valley Twp. Parties of 1st part agree to pay $770 "according to the conditions of a certain promissary note executed by Knud Leverson." Signed: Knud Leverson (his mark), Caroline Leverson (her mark). *[Another land transaction by Knut & his wife, now Caroline (not Kari)--and it may suggest by her absence that Guro has died in the four years between this & the previous deed, in other words, between March 1879 & June 1883.]*

Deed vol 132, p 36: Indenture 13 April 1893 between Christian

Knud & Isabel Christophersen are personally known to him. Dated 17 May 1867.) *(This is a very important document, for several reasons: it names the spouses of all Herbrand's children, it gives the anglicized names of them all--Aase is Elizabeth, Lovise is Isabel (as is her sister-in-law, Christian's wife, Guri is Julia, Kari is Caroline, it confirms that Knute was alive, not the one who died in 1859. Finally, it shows Guro (misspelled as Gurne) was once again signing herself as Leverson (not Johnson) & living with her children in Spring Valley. So we know her 2nd husband was dead by then).*

Deed vol 67, p 458: Indenture 10 July 1867 between Gurne Leverson of Spring Valley, party of 1st part, & Knute Leverson of same place, for $1500 "do release & quit claim" NW 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sect 25 in Spring Valley Twp. Signed: Gurne Leverson (his mark).
(Here is Guro again, again misspelled as Gurne, & son Knute, now Knud!)

Mort vol 38, p 203: Indenture 25 March 1879 between Knudt Leverson & Kari Leverson his wife & Gurve (sic) Leverson, parties of 1st part, & David Harris, party of 2nd part, selling for $400 NW 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sect. 25, Spring Valley Twp. Goes on to say parties of 1st part will pay to party of 2nd part $400 at 8% interest, payable annually. Signed: Knudt Leverson (his mark), Kari Leverson (her mark), Gurve Leverson (her mark).
(This time Knut is buying land with his mother; once again misspelled, this time as Gurve & as Leverson.)

Mort vol 38, p 219: Indenture 25 March 1879 between Knud Leverson & Kari Leverson his wife, parties of 1st part, & Guri Leverson, party of 2nd part, selling for $800 NW 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sect 25, Spring Valley Twp. Goes on to say parties of 1st part agree to pay to party of 2nd part $800 "according to the tone of a certain bond bearing date 1 July 1868 executed by K. Leverson." Signed: Knudt Leverson (his mark), Kari Leverson (her mark). Witnesses: O.P.Gaarder, C. Leverson.
(Both of these items indicate that Guro was still alive in 1879.)

Mort vol 45, p 572: Indenture 7 June 1883 between Knud Leverson & Caroline Leverson his wife of Spring Valley, parties of 1st part, & Milo L. Pearson of Newark, Rock Co., selling for $700 NW 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sect 25, Spring Valley Twp. Parties of 1st part agree to pay $770 "according to the conditions of a certain promissory note executed by Knud Leverson." Signed: Knud Leverson (his mark), Caroline Leverson (her mark).
(Another land transaction by Knut & his wife, now Caroline (not Kari)--and it may suggest by her absence that Guro has died in the four years between this & the previous deed, in other words, between March 1879 & June 1883.)

Deed vol 123, p 36: Indenture 13 April 1893 between Christian

Leverson of Spring Valley (widower) & Ole P. Gaarder of same place, conveying for $1400 SW 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sect 25, same Twp. Signed: Christian Leverson. *[Yes, this is our Christian]*

Other Spring Valley Twp. land records RKF examined in Oct 1993: *[Indicated in italics whether or not the transaction involved our family]*

Deed vol 29, p 634: Hendrick Hendrickson to RR Co, 15 Aug 1855. Sect 24. *[No]*

Mort vol V, p 421: Abram Lever to Albertus Lynde, 13 Sept 1856. Sect 27. *[No]*

Mort vol W, p 622: Oly Olverson to Hendrick Hendrickson, 8 Apr 1857. Sect 10. *[No]*

Mort vol W, p 620: Kenute Thorson to Hendrick Hendrickson, 8 April 1857. Sect 27. *[No]*

Deed vol 58, p 468: Abram Lever to George W. Smith, 30 Sept 1864. Sect 27. *[Yes]*

Mort vol 17, p 417: Gurac Leverson to Knute Leverson, 11 June 1867. NE 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sect 25. *[Yes]*

Deed vol 98, p 230: Hendrick Hendrickson to Christine Gilbertson, 4 May 1880. Sects 14, 24. *[No]*

Item 309 under Sect 25, 26, 35, 36 (Mort vol not copied): Knute Leverson & wife & Gurve Leverson to David Harris, 24 Aug 1882. NE 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sect 25. *[Aha--now the interval for Guro's possible death may be narrowed to sometime between Aug 1882 & June 1883.]*

18 JUNE 1991. DANE COUNTY COURTHOUSE, MADISON, WI.

Registrar of Deeds Office.

Misc. record vol B, p 24: Patent, U.S. to Andress Helliksen of Dane Co for SE 1/4 of NW 1/4, Sect 31, Christiana Twp, 1 Sept 1848 (recorded 25 April 1855). *[Yes, this almost certainly Anders Lande, who was in the 1880 census as Anders Allicksen, now Hellikson]*

Deed vol 29, p 24: Indenture 20 April 1849 (recorded 25 April 1855) between Herman Thompson & Ingeborg Thompson his wife, parties of 1st part, & Andres Hillikson, all of Dane Co, selling for $12.50 E 1/2 of NE 1/4 of SW 1/4, Sect 32, Chistiana Twp,

containing 10 acres. Signed: Herman Thompson, Ingeborg Thompson (her mark). *[Yes, him again]*

Deed vol 29, p 23: Indenture 1 May 1854 between Hillik Gullikson of Dane Co, party of 1st part, & Andres Hilliksen of same co, party of 2nd part selling for $27.50 E 1/4 of NE 1/4 of SW 1/4, Sect 32 in Christiana Twp containing 10 acres. Signed: Hillick Gullikson. *[Yes, and Hellick Gullikson may be his brother--needs proof]*

Deed vol 22, p 172: Indenture 6 Feb 1854 to Ellack Anderson for land in village of Stoughton. *[Yes, this is Anders' son Gullick, mispelled Ellack, who now is names Anderson.]*

Deed vol 24, p 455: Indenture 10 July 1854 to Elick Anderson for W 1/2 of SW 1/4, Sect 8, Christiana Twp. *[Yes, again I think this is Anders son]*

Deed vol 36, p 338: Indenture 12 Nov 1855 between John Porter & his wife Amy (?) of Duxbury, Mass, parties of 1st part, & Gullic (sic) Anderson & Ole Anderson, parties of 2nd part, selling for $500 S 1/2 of NE 1/4 & E 1/2 of NW 1/4, Sect 17, Christiana Twp. *[Here we have both of Anders' sons, Gullick & Ole,both now Anderson.]*

Mort vol 40, 167: Indenture 3 June 1863 between Gilbert Anderson & Ingeborg Anderson, parties of 1st part, & William B. Jarvis, party of 2nd part, selling for $40 NW 1/4 of NW 1/4, Sect 2, Blue Mounds Twp. Signed: Gilbert Anderson, Ingeborg Anderson (her mark). *[Now Gullick has become Gilbert]*

Deed vol 63, p 499: Indenture 14 Dec 1864 between William B. & Mary F. Jarvis of Madison WI, parties of 1st part, & Andres Hellickson of Blue Mounds, Dane Co, party of 2nd part, selling for $240 NE 1/4 of NW 1/4, Sect 30, Blue Mounds Twp containing 40 acres. *[This is almost certainly Anders.]*

Misc. record vol R, p 142: Patent, State of Wisconsin to Ole Anderson Lande stating he had paid on 30 Sept 1865 for SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 & NW 1/4 of SW 1/4, Sect 16, Christiana Twp containing 80 acres. Dated 19 March 1865. (Of interest that under Act of Congress of 6 Aug 1846, "An Act to Enable the People of Wisconsin Territory to Form a Constitution & State Government, & for the Admission of Such State into the Union," Section 16 in every Twp was granted to the State of Wisconsin for the use of schools. Therefore this Patent was signed by the Commissioners of School & University Lands.) *[Finally, Ole has settled on the name he will use for the rest of his life, Ole Anderson Lande. His children all carried the name Lande.]*

Mort vol 49, p 520: Mortgage release from Magreta J. Kistrud of Christiana Twp stating she has received full payment from Gulick

Anderson & Ole Anderson on a mortgage dated 27 July 1858. Dated at Cambridge (Christiana Twp), 8 Oct 1866. Signed: Magreta Kistrud (her mark). *[This release is later than the indenture (mortgage) of 3 June 1863, which may indicate that "Gilbert" was not Gullick. On the other hand, the name on the 1858 might have been "Gullick" & therefore repeated for legal reasons. If Gilbert Anderson was indeed Gullick, there was an assignment to him dated 22 May 1882 in Mort vol 84, p 369.]*

Deed vol 85, p 46: Indenture 4 Oct 1869 between Harris & Amelia Fuller & Chauncy & Johanna Williams, parties of 1st part, & Ole G. Hellekson of Dane Co, party of 2nd part, selling for $1600 W 1/2 of NW 1/4, Sect 27, Christiana Twp. *[Sect 27 is just 2 mi E of Sect 31, which was owned by Andres Hellickson. This suggests that there may be some relationship. Perhaps brothers?]*

Deed vol 81, p 477: Indenture (date not copied but must have been in 1869) from Dareth T. Braaten(m?) to Andrew Hellekson selling for $150 SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 of NW 1/4, Sect 30, Blue Mounds Twp. Signed: Dareth Tidemannson (?) Braaten (her mark). *Significance of this that Andres Hellickson of Blue Mounds (who may have been a different person from the Andres of Christiana Twp, which is on opposite side of Dane Co) apparently anglicized his first name to Andrew between 1864 & 1869.*

Mort vol 71, p 147: Indenture 5 Aug 1874 between Hillick (sic) G. Hellickson, John E. Johnson, Gulbrand G. Hellickson, & Halvor G. Storedock (?), parties of 1st part, & Gisle H. Hillickson (sic), party of 2nd part, selling W 1/2 of NW 1/4, Sect 27, Christiana Twp containing 80 acres. Signed: 1st 3 of above 4.

Deed vol 148, p 234: Indenture 29 May 1893 selling land in Twp 9 (not Christiana Twp). Of interest only that parties of 2nd part were Lars T. Ethum, Han T. Ethum, Andrew T. Ethum, Thomas T. Ethum, Randi Lande & Johanna Haakenson, all of Dane Co. *[Possible, even probable kin]*

17 JUNE 1991. ROCK COUNTY, WISCONSIN.

Orfordsville is a pleasant town of some 1100 souls 14 mi. W & slightly S of Janesville. Two mi S on County Road K, one comes to an intersection with a paved section road heading due W. This is the SE corner of Sect 25, Spring Valley Twp. The lands of Levor Herbrandson & Herbrand Leverson start at a point 0.25 mi W along the section road & run to the 0.5 mi point. They extend 0.5 mi N; i.e., the W 1/2 of SE 1/4, Sect 25.

This part of Rock Co. is hilly, but not so much so that most of it can't be corn fields & pasture. There are large clumps of trees around farm houses & streams, and some entire sections have been allowed to go back to nature. These are dense

-- almost impenetrable -- forests of hardwoods, some with trunks more than a foot in diameter, and thick underbrush. This second growth shows how thickly forested this part of Wisconsin must have been when the first settlers arrived and the incredible labor that went into clearing the land before it could be farmed. Altho the soil looks fertile and the corn is already high, the farmhouses in this area are rather modest, and many are pretty seedy. They do not look as prosperous as the farmhouses around Jackson, Minn, & LeMars, Iowa. Perhaps this might explain why RKF's ancestors moved west to the rolling plains of southern Minnesota.

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History of Rock County (1856) in library of Rock Co. Historical Society, Janesville. Excerpts relating to Town of Plymouth (Twp immediately E of Spring Valley Twp) selected by RKF because site of many early marriages was there. Pg 123: "The Town of Plymouth is well adapted to the raising of wheat. It also has extensive meadows yielding an inexhaustable supply of the best native grass for stock. It has 2 railroads passing thru it, crossing each other at a point on Bass Creek nearly in its geographical center on Section 14 where there is water power capable of driving two run of stone. The grist mill is already erected and is expected to be doing business early in the coming season. It is expected a large business will be done here as soon as the two roads are completed and in active operation as each will build a depot at this point.

"Plymouth contains 3 villages: Bass Creek, Footville & Bornits. They are all yet in their infancy.....(describes Bass Creek & Footville)...Bornits is a village lying on the south line of the town in Section 33. It is settled by some very gentlemanly citizens from Norway. It comprises a few commodious stone dwellings, a printing office with a power press, a parsonage, etc, etc. It lies in the heart of a splendid farming country on Section 33. Here rich and beautifully undulating prairies and abundant groves are marked with innumerable perennial springs whose waters form beautiful rivulets that discharge themselves into Coon Creek, one of the tributaries of Sugar River.....

"Norwegian Paper. The Emigranten, a Norwegian Newspaper, is published in this town at a Norwegian village called Bornits."

22 JUNE 1991

While we were in the Historical Society, we examined a township map to find Borints. We discovered that Orfordville, the site of Levor's land, was very near Borints. Even more interesting, we noted a symbol for a Norwegian Lutheran church nearby, just over the Spring Valley township border into Plym-

outh, a distance we knew was a matter of only a couple of miles. So we set out on a field trip to see what we could find.

We found Borints easily, although it was just a crossroads settlement of four or five houses. It was plainly marked by a big old house that looked very much as though it might at one time have been a church, with kind of a steeple-like prominence on its roof. We pulled into the driveway & introduced ourselves to the very pleasant young woman who lived there. She told us that at one point the house had been a parsonage. *[RKF knew from other records that several of Herbrand's daughters had been married in a parsonage!]* It seemed plausible that this was indeed the place where they had been married, and that there had not been a church at that time. Then our hostess told us that we really should drive down the road a bit, indeed she pointed to the actual spot where she said there was an old Norwegian Church.

We drove probably a quarter of a mile across the township line from Plymouth County into Newark County, and there was this small, nice, not terribly old Norwegian church. Just across the street was a small cemetery with some obviously very old markers in it. Entering the seemingly deserted building, we discovered that Pastor Berg was out of town for a week and the secretary was out to lunch. While we waited we went over to the old cemetery , where we found a couple of interesting stones. One of them was a stone for a man named Guttorm Olsen, with the farm name Roen. I knew that was the name of Aase Levorsdatter's husband. *(We later discovered this was not the same man.)*

The stone that was most interesting was one which said, in Norwegian, "Here under God or under heaven was a son, Knud Leverson, born 5 Aug 1842, died 19 Sep 1865, 23 years & 44 days. I felt certain that this was Levor Herbrandsen's son.

By this time the secretary had reappeared. Sure enough, as we have found so often on these searches, when the civil records did not yet exist, parish records were being meticulously kept. She went immediately to a huge old safe in her office, opened it up and took out the original church books dating back to when the church was started. The first book indicated that this was the Luther Valley Church, founded in 1846, and the first record went from 1845 to 1856. The first item in it was a register of people as they joined the church. It was an alphabetical index.

RKF copied the following directly from the Luther Valley Church Records, starting on page 2 of the first book:

First Pioneer Families at Luther Church 1839-1880
Myli, Ole-Ness, Hallingdal dod 1850

Luther Valley Members List, page 2
29 Dec 1845 (First member date. Total of 181 members)

71. Levor Herbrandsen Mili Naes d. 26 Dec 1803
dod, no. 7
72. Guro Christiansdtr. Hust. *[Hustru-wife]*
73. Christian Son
74. Guro Datter
75. Ingeborg Datter
76. Knud Son

(Aase & Herbrand were listed in another place because they were in the confirmation class)

on page 8: 5 June 1847
426. Hellick Gulbrandsen Lande Flesberg
427. Marit Helliksdatter Hustru
428. Guldbrand Son

Another list (in pencil):
754. Guri Levor Myli
690. Unk. Herbrand Levor Myli
738. Unk. Christian Levor Myli
695. Pige Aase Levorsdatter Myli

(I think this is from the confirmation list)

Certainly one of the most interesting finds was confirmation of Levor Herbran dsen's death and burial. His was the seventh burial of that church. The first six were infants anywhere between a day old and 6 or 7 months old. Almost all were babies under a year old, except for a couple who were 2 or 3 year old children, but all very little. He was the first adult to be buried in that cemetery. All of them had died within the same period of about a week, and they had obviously held the bodies for a few days while they waited for the pastor to come, so that he and the babies were all buried at the same time. We were also able to confirm the death records for the Knud Leversen whose stone we had seen in the cemetery. We were sure he was indeed our Knud, son of Levor, who died at the age of 23.

We then went back again to the cemetery to see if we could determine where Levor was buried. The old part of the cemetery has been beautifully reconstructed , but it was not done chronologically , nor did the tombstones attempt to match with a body buried beneath them. Interestingly enough, and very attractive to view, what they had done was to gather up scattered fragments of old tombstones and put them back together with new concrete bases neatly spaced out across the front of the cemetery. It seemed a nice way to honor those old stones and the people buried there. What you can see, then, is the site where Levor was buried, with tombstones of that time laid out, but not on graves. At any rate, there was no stone that had any markings whatever indicating it was Levor's. Still, we left there with a peaceful certainty that he was indeed buried right in that spot.

JULY 1991. EAST KOSHKONONG, CHRISTIANA TWP., DANE CO, WI

Our next field trip was to East Koshkonong, Wisconsin, where Anders Helliksen and Beret Gulleksdotter Lande had settled. *[Unfortunately, the notes from this visit have been lost or misplaced, so this portion is a reconstruction from other notes & records]*

We had previously learned a good bit about RKF's Lande great-grandparents from Mr. Naeseth at Vesterheim. We knew they had arrived in this country in 1847 on the ship TRICOLOR, and had proceeded directly to Koshkonong Prairie, site of one of the first Norwegian settlements in the USA.

Koshkonong Prairie is 144 square miles in the southeast corner of Dane County. It is bordered on the south by Rock County, on the east by Jefferson County, and comprises the townships of Dunkirk, Albion, Christiana, Pleasant Springs, and the southern part of Deerfield.

Koshkonong, "the lake we live by" was named by the Indians. For generations there they fished for suckers, pickerel, pike, catfish, black bass, perch, bullheads and dogfish in Lake Koshkonong. Only Indians camped there until 1839, when three men from far off Voss, Norway, came to the prairie seeking land for homesteading. They found a wilderness covered with "a luxuriant growth of grass, and a great profusion and variety of beautiful flowers, displaying the colors of ten thousand rainbows painted not by the hand of man." There was an abundance of hardwood timber, plenty of marsh hay and fine fishing in Koshkonong Creek. The men, who had walked 150 miles from LaSalle County, Illinois to Milwaukee, then another 80 miles to the eastern part of Dane County, selected 40 acres each, then, with winter approaching, they walked back to LaSalle County along the same route. They returned in the spring driving wagons pulled by oxen, and took possession of their land.

In 1825, groups of people from Norway had begun to leave their homes and make the long and dangerous journey to America. Not until 1840, lured by the vivid descriptions of the three men from Voss, did any immigrants begin settling on Koshkonong Prairie. The location amply fulfilled their needs for good land, healthful climate, and enough room for future expansion. Because of the many immigrants over a widespread area, the Koshkonong settlement was divided into two parishes, East and West Koshkonong.

Between 1840 and 1844, Norwegians were gradually spreading throughout the region of Koshkonong Prairie and in many sections the Norwegians formed the majority if not the totality of inhabitants. A devout Norwegian layman, Peter Sorenson (a fabric dyer

by trade) was concerned about the religious needs of his countrymen who had emigrated to America, where there was no state church. Mr. Sorenson offered to provide passage and living expenses for any Lutheran pastor who would minister to the early settlers in America. A young ordained pastor, Johannes Wilhelm Christian Dietrichson, consented to carry out this work and came to Koshkonong Prairie in August 1844. The first service conducted by Pastor Dietrichson was held on September 1, 1844, and within a year he had organized 10 congregations. *[It is very likely, though not proven, that the Landes were among those first parishioners. Mr. Dietrichson was the pastor from 1844-1845, then after a return trip to Norway, he served again from 1846-1850. He very likely married Kari and Herbrand in 1844, and christened their firstborn son, Levor, in 1845]*

We drove to Christiana Township, through the town of Cambridge, where we turned south. We passed through the little hamlet of Rockdale, then, about 3-4 miles further on we were amazed to discover just off the road to our left, two large churches, both about the same vintage, spaced only a few hundred yards apart. There was one graveyard between them, which they seemed to share. Extensive written materials will be found in our files about these churches and the settlement, but one point must be made regarding the reason for the two buildings. Some time in the 1880's, along with over 250 other congregations in the United States, the East Koshkonong congregation became involved in a controversy on predestination--which "centered on the paradox between the primacy of God's grace in salvation and the responsibility of the people to whom God's grace was given." Koshkonong, like many other congregations and even synods, split in two. The result was that two separate churches were built, and two separate parishes were maintained until they finally came back together in 1917!!

Unfortunately, we had not allowed ourselves enough time to explore this lovely spot as thoroughly as we'd have liked. We did have a brief look at the interior of the church, guided by a pastor who was obviously aware it was time to close up shop. We saw the very primitive wood altar which has been used in the first log church completed in 1845--again, undoubtedly the one in place when the Landes worshipped there. But we could not photograph it, or even take thorough notes. At some point we must make a return trip.

14 JULY 1992. BELMONT & CHRISTIANA TOWNSHIPS, JACKSON COUNTY, MN.

We searched out the 5 cemeteries we know are in these twps from maps of the twps. We set out on a systematic tour so we would know, once & for all, exactly where RKF's ancestors are buried.

Each cemetery is marked on a map in the Husby file (copies will be made & placed in Leverson file too).

Cemetery #3 is in Christiana Twp. on County 19, about 1/2 mi. off County 30. It sits on a high hill, is quite small & apparently abandoned. There are a handful of tombstones, mostly Moes & Jacobsons, with wild flowers around them. Really quite pretty. Most recent grave dated 1905. No RKF ancestors.

Cemetery #4, West Belmont Cemetery. This is next to the Belmont Lutheran Church. It's very pretty. No RKF ancestors.

Cemetery #5, Slabakken (now called East Belmont) Cemetery. It is just off County 76 on County 5. This is where Gunder and Sigrid Husby and Randi Husby and her husband, Thrond Thronson, are buried.

Cemetery #1, Hauge Cemetery. It is Belmont Twp. on US 71, just before it makes a sharp turn to NW. Here Sigri Husby Leverson, her husband, her little daughter are buried. There are other family members too: a baby, Alice Blanche Husby, and a number of Kyllos. No other relatives.

Cemetery #2, Bethany Cemetery. This is behind Bethany Lutheran Church, which is in Christiana Twp. west off US 71 just N of the Hauge Cemetery. Here we finally found Levi, Herbrand & Kari, & Austin Bernard Leverson. This accounts for all RKF's Norse relatives known to be buried in Jackson County, except Berit Olsdatter Kyllo, later known as Berit Olson, living with her daughter Sigrid Kyllo Huseby in 1910 (US Census for Jackson, Minn.).

OCTOBER 1993 VESTERHEIM GENEALOGICAL CENTER, MADISON, WI

RKF spent a week there and these are a few odds and ends of discoveries from the microfilms of parish registers from Nes Buskerud.

I found a marital record(MF) for 1828 Jan 29, Ungkarl *(bachelor)* Gaardymand *(farm laborer)* Hendrich Herbrandsen og Enke *(widow)* *Magrite Evansdtr.* I have noted the name beside this: Evan Pedersen, probably her father.

I also have noted the following microfilm numbers: Buskerud BU9 0123841 Nes 8: 1823-34 (Bpt.); 9: 1843-1872 (bpt.); 9; 1847-1866 (Bur). I could order these from either Vesterheim or LDS, and should do that.

Another couple I'm not sure about, from the microfilm: Marriage: BUS9 0123841 pg 76 2&3, year 1828 Enkmann Levord Herbransen, age 55 og Guri Olsdatter, age 50. Not quite sure they are from Myli; relationship needs to be proven.

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EVF spent a week there and there are a few odds and ends of discoveries from the microfilms of parish registers from Nes Buskerud.

I found a marital (confirmation?) for 1828 Jan 20, Engebret [illegible] (farm [illegible]) [illegible] og Enke [illegible]. I have noted the name beside that: [illegible] probably her father.

I also have noted the following microfilm numbers: Buskerud Nes 0123531 Vol 8: 1833-34 (Bpt.); 9: 1815-1872 (Bpt.); 4; 1842-1860 (Bur.). I could order these from either Vesterheim or SLC, and should do that.

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HUSBAND Henrith-3061
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BORN:   Abt    1686           PLACE: ,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
CHR.:                         PLACE:
DIED:                         PLACE:
BUR.:                         PLACE:
MARR:                         PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:
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WIFE    Kari LI-3088
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BORN:   Abt    1690           PLACE: ,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
CHR.:                         PLACE:
DIED:                         PLACE:
BUR.:                         PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:
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CHILDREN
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 1.  NAME: Henrith Henrithsen MYLIE-3060
---- BORN:     Aug 1718          PLACE: Mylie,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
 M   CHR.: 28 Aug 1718          PLACE: Parish Church,Nes,Buskerud,Norway
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE:                                                                          MRIN: 830
     MARR:                      PLACE:
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     DIED:                      PLACE:
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     MARR:                      PLACE:
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Other Children?

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-829
DOCUMENTATION

5 Feb 1992

HUSBAND Henrith-3061 Yr of Birth 1686
WIFE Kari LI-3088 Yr of Birth 1690

HUSBAND - Henrith-3061
Doc: PR christening record of his son.

WIFE - Kari LI-3088
Doc: PR chr. rec. her son

CHILD 1 - Henrith Henrithsen MYLIE-3060
Doc: Parish Rec. Nes i Hallingdal Buskerud #M7 0123839 b.2 1707-1759

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-848

4 Jun 1991

HUSBAND Jorgen OLSGAARD-3054

BORN: Abt 1681 PLACE: ,,Buskerud,Norway
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

WIFE

BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

CHILDREN

1. NAME: Ole Jorgensen OLSGAARD-3057
---- BORN: Abt 1713 PLACE: ,,Buskerud,Norway
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: MRIN: 828
MARR: PLACE:

2. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

Other Children?

3. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

4. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

Phone:

HUSBAND Jorgen OLSGAARD-3054 Yr of Birth 1681
WIFE Yr of Birth

HUSBAND - Jorgen OLSGAARD-3054

No doc to date. Assumption based on inf. from Ole Jorgensen Olsgaard. Needs research

WIFE -

CHILD 1 - Ole Jorgensen OLSGAARD-3057

Second Generation
Mylie

Henrith Henrithsen Mylie
+

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Ole Jorgensen Olsgaard
(Father of Ingebor Olsdatter)

HUSBAND Henrith Henrithsen MYLIE-3060

BORN: Aug 1718 PLACE: Mylie,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
CHR.: 28 Aug 1718 PLACE: Parish Church,Nes,Buskerud,Norway
DIED: PLACE: ,,,Norway
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: PLACE:
FATHER: Henrith-3061 PARENTS' MRIN: 829
MOTHER: Kari LI-3088

WIFE Kari Guttomsdtr

BORN: 1721 PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

1801
80
1721

CHILDREN

1. NAME: Hendrich Herbransen MYLIE-3055
---- BORN: May 1741 PLACE: Mylie,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
M CHR.: 22 May 1741 PLACE: Parish Church,Nes,Buskerud,Norway
DIED: PLACE: ,,,Norway
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Ingebor OLSDATTER-3056 MRIN: 827
MARR: PLACE: ,,Buskerud,Norway

2. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

3. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

4. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

Phone:

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-830
DOCUMENTATION

HUSBAND Henrith Henrithsen MYLIE-3060 Yr of Birth 1718
WIFE Yr of Birth

HUSBAND - Henrith Henrithsen MYLIE-3060
Doc: Parish Rec. MF 123839 Nes i Hallingdal Buskerud BK2 1709-1759

??--is it possible his name was really Herbrand, which would make more sense given his son's christened name. Needs further research.

WIFE -

CHILD 1 - Hendrich Herbransen MYLIE-3055
B/Chr: 2nd Pentecost 1741 :MF 123839 Nes Buskerud P.R. pg 132 #--3rd from bottom of page.
Witnesses:" Ingeborg Pedersdatter Aase Bortnas Asle(g) Jonssen Tollef Olsen Margrith Olsdatter" [Note: Witness Aase Bortnas is the grandmother of his future daughter-in-law, Aase Levorsdatter Garnaas]

Collateral

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-828

4 Jun 1991

HUSBAND Ole Jorgensen OLSGAARD-3057

BORN: Abt 1713 PLACE: ,,Buskerud,Norway
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: PLACE:
FATHER: Jorgen OLSGAARD-3054 PARENTS' MRIN: 848
MOTHER:

WIFE

BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

CHILDREN

1. NAME: Asle Olsen BORTNAS-3058
---- BORN: ca 1741 PLACE:
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

2. NAME: Amund Olsen THOEN-3059
---- BORN: ca1743 PLACE:
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

3. NAME: Ingebor OLSDATTER-3056
---- BORN: 1745 PLACE: ,,Buskerud,Norway
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: Bef 1801 PLACE: Mylie,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
BUR.: PLACE: ,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
SPOUSE: Hendrich Herbransen MYLIE-3055 MRIN: 827
MARR: PLACE: ,,Buskerud,Norway

4. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

Phone:

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-828
DOCUMENTATION

HUSBAND Ole Jorgensen OLSGAARD-3057 Yr of Birth 1713
WIFE Yr of Birth

HUSBAND - Ole Jorgensen OLSGAARD-3057

WIFE -

CHILD 1 - Asle Olsen BORTNAS-3058
Witness at chr. Herbrand. Prob. Uncle to him. Needs ver.
(Aunt??)

CHILD 2 - Amund Olsen THOEN-3059
Witness at Herbrand chr. Prob. uncle--needs ver.

CHILD 3 - Ingebor OLSDATTER-3056
Have doc. but ??? what it is

Died before 1801 Census--husband listed as "widower after 1st marriage"

Validate doc LDS

Third Generation
Mylie

Hendrich Herbrandsen Mylie
+
Ingebor Olsdatter

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-827

29 Jul 1992

HUSBAND Hendrich Herbransen MYLIE-3055

BORN: May 1741 PLACE: Mylie,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
CHR.: 22 May 1741 PLACE: Parish Church,Nes,Buskerud,Norway
DIED: aft 1801 PLACE: ,,,Norway
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: PLACE: ,,Buskerud,Norway
FATHER: Henrith Henrithsen MYLIE-3060 PARENTS' MRIN: 830
MOTHER:

WIFE Ingebor OLSDATTER-3056

BORN: 174~~1~~6 PLACE: ,,Buskerud,Norway
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: Bef 1801 PLACE: Mylie,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
BUR.: PLACE: ,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
FATHER: Ole Jorgensen OLSGAARD-3057 PARENTS' MRIN: 828
MOTHER:

widowed, living on Bottres
in 1801 census
"Recipient of assistance"

CHILDREN

1. NAME: Herbrand Henrichsen MYLIE-3046
---- BORN: Jul 1767 PLACE: Mylie,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
M CHR.: 26 Jul 1767 PLACE: Parish Church,Nes,Buskerud,Norway
DIED: Aft 1821 PLACE: Mylie,Nes i Hallingdal,Norway
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Aase Levorsdatter GARNAAS-3047 MRIN: 826
MARR: 6 Oct 1791 PLACE: Parish Church,Nes,Buskerud,Norway

2. NAME: Henrich Hendricksen MYLIE-3191
---- BORN: Abt 1774 PLACE: Mylie,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE: ,,,Norway
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Sirena-3192 MRIN: 891
MARR: Abt 1800 PLACE: ,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway

3. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

4. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

Phone:

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-827
DOCUMENTATION

HUSBAND Hendrich Herbransen MYLIE-3055 Yr of Birth 1741
WIFE Ingebor OLSDATTER-3056 Yr of Birth 1745

HUSBAND - Hendrich Herbransen MYLIE-3055

B/Chr: 2nd Pentecost 1741 :MF 123839 Nes Buskerud P.R. pg 132 #--3rd from bottom of page.
Witnesses:" Ingeborg Pedersdatter Aase Bortnas Asle(g) Jonssen Tollef Olsen Margrith Olsdatter" [Note: Witness Aase Bortnas is the grandmother of his future daughter-in-law, Aase Levorsdatter Garnaas]

WIFE - Ingebor OLSDATTER-3056

Doc: Listed as mother on baby's christening

May have had other children. Needs further research

Died before 1801 Census--husband listed as "widower after 1st marriage"

CHILD 1 - Herbrand Henrichsen MYLIE-3046

B/Chr: Nes Par.Reg.Buskerud MF 123839 pg 47 #120. Named for Father's father (First son) Born 6th Sun. after Trinity. Witnesses: Joran Tomasdatter Tollefsgaard Guri Thorsdatter.Berg Aase Olsen Bortnas Amund Olsen Thoen Ole Jorgensen Olsgaard"

Res:Listed in 1801 Census at Mylie as Tenant living with widowed father who was farm owner. All children doc. in census up to Levord who were not born until 1803-1821

Death: Presumed alive until after birth of last child (Both actual death & number of children need to be doc.)

CHILD 2 - Henrich Hendricksen MYLIE-3191

Doc. for this family has been misplaced. Needs further doc.

Asle is name of man
in 1801 Census on Bortnes
farm
Asle Olsen 24 married Hud farmer
(Kari Henrichdtr. age 21 his wife
Guril Aslesdtr. age 1. their daughter

Fourth Generation

Mylie / Leverson

Herbrand Henrichsen Mylie

+

Aase Levorsdatter Garnaas

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Henrich Henrichsen Mylie

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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-826

29 Jul 1992

HUSBAND Herbrand Henrichsen MYLIE-3046

BORN: Jul 1767 PLACE: Myli~~e~~,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
CHR.: 26 Jul 1767 PLACE: Parish Church,Nes,Buskerud,Norway
DIED: ~~Aft 1821~~ 1810 PLACE: Myli~~e~~,Nes i Hallingdal,Norway
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: 6 Oct 1791 PLACE: Parish Church,Nes,Buskerud,Norway
FATHER: Hendrich Herbransen MYLIE-3055 PARENTS' MRIN: 827
MOTHER: Ingebor OLSDATTER-3056

WIFE Aase Levorsdatter GARNAAS-3047 Agate 26

BORN: 1775 PLACE: Garnaas,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: Aft 1821 PLACE: Myli~~e~~,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER: Levor Knudsen GARNAAS-3065 PARENTS' MRIN: 832
MOTHER: Ragne Steengrimsdatter BORTNAS-3066

CHILDREN

✓1. NAME: Ingeborg Herbransdatter BORTNAS-3048
---- BORN: Feb 1794 PLACE: Bortnas,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
F CHR.: 16 Feb 1794 PLACE: Parish Church,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

Krersti

✓2. NAME: Kirsti Herbrandsdatter MYLIE-3049
---- BORN: Jul 1796 PLACE: Myli~~e~~,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
F CHR.: 24 Jul 1796 PLACE: Parish Church,Nes,Buskerud,Norway
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

✓3. NAME: Bergith Herbrandsdatter MYLIE-3050
---- BORN: Sep 1798 PLACE: Myli~~e~~,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
F CHR.: 9 Sep 1798 PLACE: Parish Church,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

✓4. NAME: Henrich HERBRANDSEN-3051
---- BORN: Dec 1800 PLACE: Myli~~e~~,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
M CHR.: 30 Sep 1800 PLACE: Parish Church,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
DIED: Apr 1870 PLACE: Spring Valley,Rock,WI
BUR.: 22 Apr 1870 PLACE: LutherValleyCem.,Plymouth Twp.,Rock Co.,WI
SPOUSE: Margret-3174 MRIN: 886
MARR: PLACE:

Phone:

35 Herbrans in Noos parish in 1801 Census

Herbran Henricksen Mylie 35 Lodger Married

1801
1767

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HUSBAND Herbrand Henrichsen MYLIE-3046 Yr of Birth 1767
WIFE Aase Levorsdatter GARNAAS-3047 Yr of Birth 1775

CHILDREN (continued)

5. NAME: Levor HERBRANDSEN-155
---- BORN: Dec 1803 PLACE: Mylie,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
M CHR.: 26 Dec 1803 PLACE: Parish Church,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
DIED: 22 Sep 1846 PLACE: Spring Valley,Rock,WI
BUR.: 26 Sep 1846 PLACE: LutherValleyChch,Plymouth Twp.,Rock Co.,WI
SPOUSE: Guro CHRISTIANSDATTER-156 MRIN: 32
MARR: Abt 1828 PLACE: ,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway

~~6. NAME: Knud HERBRANDSEN-3177~~
~~---- BORN: 1816 PLACE: Mylie,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway~~
~~M CHR.: PLACE:~~
~~DIED: 1 Aug 1893 PLACE: Chicago,Cook,IL~~
~~BUR.: PLACE:~~
~~SPOUSE: MRIN: 888~~
~~MARR: PLACE:~~

~~7. NAME: Ole HERBRANDSEN-3182~~
~~---- BORN: 1820 PLACE: ,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway~~
~~M CHR.: PLACE:~~
~~DIED: 19 Sep 1853 PLACE: ,Rock Co.,WI~~
~~BUR.: PLACE:~~
~~SPOUSE: MRIN: 889~~
~~MARR: 15 May 1853 PLACE: ,Rock Co.,WI~~

~~8. NAME: Herbran HERBRANDSEN-3175~~
~~---- BORN: 1821 PLACE: Mylie,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway~~
~~M CHR.: PLACE:~~
~~DIED: PLACE: ,,,USA~~
~~BUR.: PLACE:~~
~~SPOUSE: Ann THURBENDSEN-3176 MRIN: 887~~
~~MARR: 19 Jun 1847 PLACE: Rock Co.,Terr. Wis.~~

6. Kari

HUSBAND Herbrand Henrichsen MYLIE-3046 Yr of Birth 1767
WIFE Aase Levorsdatter GARNAAS-3047 Yr of Birth 1775

HUSBAND - Herbrand Henrichsen MYLIE-3046

B/Chr: Nes Par.Reg.Buskerud MF 123839 pg 47 #120. Named for Father's father (First son) Born 6th Sun. after Trinity. Witnesses: Joran Tomasdatter Tollefsgaard Guri Thorsdatter.Berg Aase Olsen Bortnas Amund Olsen Thoen Ole Jorgensen Olsgaard"

Res:Listed in 1801 Census at Mylie as Tenant living with widowed father who was farm owner. All children doc. in census up to Levord who were not born until 1803-1821

Death: Presumed alive until after birth of last child (Both actual death & number of children need to be doc.)

WIFE - Aase Levorsdatter GARNAAS-3047

B/Chr: 1801 Nor. Census Buskerud Side: J 03 Mylie. Age given=26

Name: Aase on marriage & all children's christening records. Agate on 1801 Census.

Data gathered in Rock Co., Wis., by RKF June 1991 responsible for working assumption that last 3 children could be part of this family. If so, she would have been 46 at the time of her last childbirth, and, if still alive, 68 when her sons emigrated. Needs research.

Death: Presumed date based on above data re presumed children

CHILD 1 - Ingebor Herbransdatter BORTNAS-3048

B/Chr: MF 123840 Nes P.R. Pg 115 #55. Parents: "Herbrand og Aase Bortnas", Witnesses Margrethe, Knud og Jorden Garnaas, Margrethe Levorsdtr. og Kari Mylie".

Listed in 1801 Census living with family at Mylie

Name: Named for her father's mother, Ingebor Olsdatter. (1st daughter) Had last name of Bortnas (probably) because parents living on grandparent's farm when she was born..

CHILD 2 - Kirsti Herbrandsdatter MYLIE-3049

B/Chr: MF 123840 Nes P.R pg 196 #112. Parents"Herbrand og Aase Mylie"" Witnesses" Randi Espeset(sic), Birgit Oldsd., Kari Bordalen, Peder Garnaas og Nils Brunsvold(sic)"

CHILD 3 - Bergit Herbrandsdatter MYLIE-3050

B/Chr: MF 123840 Nes PR pg 181 #174. Parents"Herbrand og Aase Mylie". Witnesses:" Anne Bortnas, Margrit og Ole Aaltsen, Guittorm Molium(sic)".

CHILD 4 - Henrich HERBRANDSEN-3051

B/Chr: MF 123840 PR Nes pg 216 #160. Parents"Herbrand og Aase Levorsdtr. Mylie". Witnesses" Guri Garnaas, Margrete Olsd., Jorgen, Levord og_______ (last name indecipherable."

HUSBAND Herbrand Henrichsen MYLIE-3046 Yr of Birth 1767
WIFE Aase Levorsdatter GARNAAS-3047 Yr of Birth 1775

Named for his father's father, Henrich Herbrandsen Mylie (RIN #3046) (1st son)

Emigration: Left Norway some time between 1842-1848. No doc. found in search of Rock Co. records

Marriage: 1850 Wis. Census Spring Valley (MFM 317 Un 3) Family # 724 lists him age 50 & presumed wife

Death/Burial: Luther Valley Church Rec. Book II Part I 1856-1882

CHILD 5 - Levor HERBRANDSEN-155

B/Chr: PR Nes Buskerud MF 0123840 b.5 1787-1807. 1803 pg 282# 15. FHLC,S.L.C. Parents:"Herbrand Henrichsen og Aase Levorsdtr.Mylie. Witnesses:"Kari Aaltverz(?), Ragne Bordnas,Steengrim, Thore Olsen og Peder Garnaas."

Name Levord on his christening record & those of his children. (In other words, on church documents). Always Levor in civil documents. Named for his mother's father Levor Knudsen Garnaas (RIN# 3065) .His mother's mother, Ragne Steengrimsdatter Bortnas (RIN# 3066) was one of the witnesses for his christening, also Peder Garnaas, another witness, is his mother's brother, one of his two uncles by that name.

Confirmation: 14 Jan 1821, PR Nes Buskerud (Luther Valley Kirke Bog #71))

Emigration: Port of Drammen,Norway May 1843; arrived NYC July 1843.Passenger list (G.Naeseth ref#223) confirms name of ship was Johanna & he was accompanied by his wife & six children. Also accompanied by brother Ole (RIN # 3182).

Intent to Naturalize: Rock Co. Reg.Deeds Vol I p 50 21 Mar 1845 (copy of papers in file--note beautiful flourishing signature at a time when most applicants signed with a mark). Application is to the Territory of Wisconsin, states he was born in Norway in the Kingdom of Sweden, renounces all loyalty to said King, emigrated from the port of Drammen, Sweden (presently in Norway); stated destination was Plymouth Twp., Rock Co., Wis.

Land & Property: Rock Co. C.H.,Reg. Deeds,Deed Book 67, p39,Certificate No. 16.469. United States to Herbrandson. His homestead was a 40 acre tract of land in the NW Qtr. of the SE Qtr. of Sect. 25 Twp. 2 W of Range 10 E.(See file for complete copy).

Actually took possession of land 8 Feb 1845 (Map, p 99, Abstract of Lands, Town of Spring Valley, Rock Co. C.H.). Took adjoining SW qtr. of SE qtr. on 22 Aug 1846. (Same map). Patent was issued to "Levor Erberan" 10 Feb 1848. (Deed Book 45, p 194).

Historical Note: Wisconsin became a territory in its own name in 1836, and was still a territory when this family settled in Rock Co. (It became a state in 1848). Most of the early settlement was along Lake Michigan or in the Rock River valley.

JGP recorded an impression of this area on 17 June 1991, when he & RKF

explored the site. His notes read " Orfordsville is a pleasant town of some 1100 souls 14 mi. W & slightly S of Janesville. Two miles S on county road K, one comes to an intersection with a paved section road heading due W. This is the SE corner of Sect 25, Spring Valley Twp. The lands of Levor Herbrandsen start at a point 0.25 mi W along the section road & run to the 0.5 mi point. They extend 0.5 mi N; i.e., the W 1/2 of SE 1/4, Sect. 25."

"This part of Rock Co. is hilly, with large clumps of trees around farm houses & streams & some entire sections have been allowed to go back to nature. These are dense--almost impenetrable--forests of hardwoods, some with trunks more than a foot in diameter, and thick underbrush. This second growth shows how thickly forested this part of Wisconsin must have been when the first settlers arrived and the incredible labor that went into clearing the land before it could be farmed. Although the soil looks fertile & the corn is already high, the farmhouses in this area are rather modest, and many are pretty seedy. They do not look as prosperous as the farmhouses around Jackson, Minn., & LeMars, Ia. Perhpas this might explain why RKF's ancestors moved west to the rolling plains of southern Minnesota."

(Further historical background was excerpted by RKF from the History of Rock County (1856) in the library of Rock Co. Historical Society, Janesville. See file)

Page 125-6 of this volume describes Spring Valley as follows " This town contains very little prairie. Its surface is gently undulating and covered with a scattering growth of large bur oaks, with more or less hickory, and altogether a very good agricultural town, well watered, well wooded, a good productive soil with a reasonable portion of good, natural meadow for cutting hay, making it altogether a very desirable location for a farmer who wishes the conveniences [Ital.] for a farm-rather than to have an extensive one. The Southern Wisconsin Railroad will pass through this town and will have a station here. [Note: This turned out to be apocryphal. The RR bypassed Spring Valley, & that may explain its demise as a town] They have in this town one store, one tavern, kept by Col. E. Clapp [one of the first settlers, who fought in the War of 1812] and Dr. S.W. Abbot, & a post office. The population of this town in 1850 was 766; in 1855 it was 1,006. It has 10 school districts & 6 school houses. The number of scholars is 351. This town receives the sum of $275 from the state school fund the present year. "

This, then is the land where Levor established his family in the new world. Unfortunately he, himself, did not live long enough to see any of the described development. (He had been dead 10 years when this history was written). But his children lived in this area for a number of years. (Some of them may have been part of the school population described above)

Church: Our discovery of the church records was a combination of research & serendipity! In the history book of Rock Co., RKF noticed a reference to a place called Borints, where a Norwegian newspaper, the EMMIGRANTEN had been printed. We found it on a township map, right near Orfordville, very near to Levor's land. Even more interesting, we noticed there was a Norwegian Lutheran Church right there, & our hunch was that this would have been where they had attended church. We drove to Borints, a hamlet of a few houses at the cross

HUSBAND Herbrand Henrichsen MYLIE-3046 Yr of Birth 1767
WIFE Aase Levorsdatter GARNAAS-3047 Yr of Birth 1775

road between the borders of Plymouth & Christiana Townships. There we found the old parish house, now owned by a nice young family (See photos in file). The young mother there pointed us to the Norwegian Lutheran Church just down the road. There we found the Luther Valley Lutheran Church, & documentation that Levor had assisted in its organization. Located in Newark Twp., the church is less than a quarter of a mile across the boundary between the old parsonage, which is in Plymouth Co., & which served as the first center for church activities until the church itself was completed & ready to be used in the fall of 1845. The first register of the parish is entitled "Kirke Bog for Den Norske Lutherske Meninghed ved Rock Prarier, Rock County, Wisconsin Territory, North America". The first part of Book I is an Index in which all church members are recorded alphabetically by given name as they entered the church either through proof of previous Lutheran church membership, by confirmation, or as members of the family of an accepted member. The Index is hand-written in a beautiful, small script. The Index ends in 1856 and has a total of 1101 names of individuals and CLVIII families.

Levor was accepted on 22 Dec 1845 as Member # 71, Family # XVI. Family members listed under his name were: Guro Christiansdatter, Christian (Son), Guri (Datter), Ingeborg (Datter), Knud (Son). Herbrand & Aase are not listed with the family, probably because they were listed as members of the beginning Confirmation class.

Death & Burial: Rock Co. Vital Records Vol. 1 pg 428 #7. Luther Valley Luther Valley Church Records Book I No. 7 Doc G. Grubolt Dod vie Begravne No. 7. 26 Sept 1846. This means he was the 7th burial & was buried in Plot #7. The first 6 plots were occupied by very small children & infants who had died within the same week.

Probate: Official Index at Rock Co. Courthouse. Old records housed at Rock Co. Historical Society. File # 137: Herbrandsen, Lavora---file folder was empty. no indication of what might have been in it.

File # 12066 Court Record Z Page 52. Herbrandsen, Levor. Quit Claim Deed 20 Jan 1855 (Deed Book Z, p 265) & Warranty Deed 8 Mar 1860 (Deed Book 45, p 452) documents sale of land jointly held by Levor's widow and six children to his son Herbrand Levorsen. Copies in file, entire brief recorded in Herbrand Leverson FGR #144.

Levor died intestate. Working assumption is his death was by an accident. The brutal work of clearing and preparing and farming that land makes it easy to imagine the scenario by which he might have met his untimely end. The fact that he took possession of additional land only a month before his death strongly suggests that he was actively at work developing his claims, and not ill or anticipating his death.

CHILD 6 - Knud HERBRANDSEN-3177

B/Chr: Rock Co. C.H. Immigration Vol I p 174 9 Nov 1846, age given as 30
Need to research whether he is actually child in this family

Emigration: Above papers doc. emigrated Norway from port of Drammen May 1846, arrived NYC Sept. 1846

HUSBAND	Herbrand Henrichsen MYLIE-3046	Yr of Birth 1767
WIFE	Aase Levorsdatter GARNAAS-3047	Yr of Birth 1775

Marriage: Rock Co. Hist. Soc. Probate File #6467 Court Rec. K p 242 Papers filed by dau. seeking to settle his estate, dau. all named

Probate: Above file-- left estate of $3210.75, final settlement $3063.19. Funeral exp. prev. paid by heirs, no account of site or time of burial (Monument pd. by Admin. of estate 2 May 1899=$100.00)

Residence: Prev.to death, living in Clinton, Rock Co., Wis. (may have died in dau. Jane's home or in hospital in Chicago)

CHILD 7 - Ole HERBRANDSEN-3182

B/Chr: Rock Co. C.H. Vol 1 p 52 5 Apr 1845 Intent to Naturalize (1st papers) age given as 25. Needs to be proven whether he is a child of this family

Emigration: Port of Drammen Apr 1943; arr. NYC July 1843. [Signed with excellent signature] Very likely ship was Johanna, same as brother Levor. Basis for working assumption he is brother. Needs to be researched

Marriage: Rock Co. Reg. Deeds Vol 1 p 66

Death: Rock Co. Reg. Deeds (doc. lost)

CHILD 8 - Herbran HERBRANDSEN-3175

B/Chr: Intent to Naturalize 1st papers Rock Co. Vol 1 p 67 16 Dec 1845 under name Herbren Herbertsen.

Emigration: Same ref. as above. Emigrated Norway from port of Drammen Apr 1842 arr. NYC Aug 1842. Signed with his mark

Marriage: Rock Co. Reg. Deeds Index p 165 Vol A 1840-1847 Card 18 Image 1-2 (MF) (Certified copy in file) License granted 18 Jun 1847 by Elisha F. Peck, Justice of the Peace; marriage performed next day by E. Eilson, Evangelical Lutheran Minister

Further research needed to doc. him as member of this family

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-891

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HUSBAND Henrich Hendricksen MYLIE-3191
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BORN:   Abt    1774          PLACE: Mylie,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
CHR.:                        PLACE:
DIED:                        PLACE: ,,,Norway
BUR.:                        PLACE:
MARR:   Abt    1800          PLACE: ,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
FATHER: Hendrich Herbransen MYLIE-3055                                   PARENTS' MRIN: 827
MOTHER: Ingebor OLSDATTER-3056
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WIFE    Sirena-3192
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BORN:   Abt    1778          PLACE: ,,,Norway
CHR.:                        PLACE:
DIED:                        PLACE:
BUR.:                        PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:
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CHILDREN
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 1.  NAME: Levor HENDRICKSEN-3184
---- BORN: Abt    1801          PLACE: ,,,Norway
 M   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE: ,,WI
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Margareth LEVORSDATTER-3185                          MRIN: 890
     MARR:                      PLACE:
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 2.  NAME:
---- BORN:                      PLACE:
     CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                      PLACE:
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 3.  NAME:
---- BORN:                      PLACE:
     CHR.:                      PLACE:
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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-891
DOCUMENTATION

HUSBAND	Henrich Hendricksen MYLIE-3191	Yr of Birth 1774
WIFE	Sirena-3192	Yr of Birth 1778

HUSBAND - Henrich Hendricksen MYLIE-3191

Doc. for this family has been misplaced. Needs further doc.

WIFE - Sirena-3192

Needs doc.

CHILD 1 - Levor HENDRICKSEN-3184

Doc: 1860 Wis. Census 5 June p 386 Town of Spring Valley #15 Dwell# 53 Fam. 56 (MFM 317.75 Un 3W 8th Cen.1860 pt.2). Age given:59; occupation: Farmer; born Norway (See copy in file)

Emigration: After 1850-before 1854 (from children's ages & birthplaces)

Intent to Naturalize: Rock Co. C.H. Vol 4 p 226 1 Apr 1858. Signed with his mark

Working theory he is Levor Herbrandsen's 1st cousin---needs research

Herbrandsen/Levorsen/ Leverson

Fifth Generation

Mylie/Herbrandsen/
Henrichsen/Levorsen

① Levor Hendricksen
+
Margreth Levorsdatter

② Henrich Herbrandsen
+
Margret

③ Levor Herbrandsen
+
Goro Christiansdatter

④ Knud Herbrandsen
+

⑤ Herbran Herbrandsen
+
Ann Thurbendsen

⑥ Ole Herbrandsen
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                                      FAMILY GROUP RECORD-890
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HUSBAND Levor HENDRICKSEN-3184
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BORN:   Abt   1801            PLACE: ,,,Norway
CHR.:                         PLACE:
DIED:                         PLACE: ,,WI
BUR.:                         PLACE:
MARR:                         PLACE:
FATHER: Henrich Hendricksen MYLIE-3191                                       PARENTS' MRIN: 891
MOTHER: Sirena-3192
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WIFE   Margareth LEVORSDATTER-3185
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BORN:         1814            PLACE: ,,,Norway
CHR.:                         PLACE:
DIED:                         PLACE: ,,WI
BUR.:                         PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:
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CHILDREN
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 1.  NAME: Hendrick LEVORSEN-3186
---- BORN:        1839            PLACE: ,,,Norway
 M   CHR.:                         PLACE:
     DIED:                         PLACE: ,,,USA
     BUR.:                         PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Barbra OLSEN-3193                                               MRIN: 892
     MARR: 12 Dec 1868             PLACE: ,Rock Co.,Wis
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 2.  NAME: Tolef LEVORSEN-3187
---- BORN:        1841            PLACE: ,,,Norway
 M   CHR.:                         PLACE:
     DIED:                         PLACE: ,,,USA
     BUR.:                         PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Guro HALVORDSON-3194                                            MRIN: 893
     MARR: 15 Jul 1862             PLACE: Plymouth Twp.,Rock Co.,Wis
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 3.  NAME: Knud LEVORSEN-3162
---- BORN:  5 Aug 1842             PLACE: ,,,Norway
 M   CHR.:                         PLACE: ,,,Norway
     DIED: 19 Sep 1865             PLACE: Spring Valley,Rock,Wis.
     BUR.: 24 Sep 1865             PLACE: LutherValleyCem.,Plymouth Twp.,Rock Co.,Wis
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                         PLACE:
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 4.  NAME: Isabella LEVORSEN-3188
---- BORN:        1846             PLACE: ,,,Norway
 F   CHR.:                         PLACE:
     DIED:                         PLACE: ,,,USA
     BUR.:                         PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                         PLACE:
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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-890

29 Jul 1992

HUSBAND Levor HENDRICKSEN-3184 Yr of Birth 1801
WIFE Margareth LEVORSDATTER-3185 Yr of Birth 1814

CHILDREN (continued)

5. NAME: Margareth LEVORSEN-3189
---- BORN: 1850 PLACE: ,,,Norway
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE: ,,,USA
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

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6. NAME: Henry LEVORSEN-3190
---- BORN: 1854 PLACE: ,,WI
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

19 Sept 1865
- 23 years
1842

44
19
25

19 Sept

Aug 12

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-890
DOCUMENTATION

HUSBAND Levor HENDRICKSEN-3184 Yr of Birth 1801
WIFE Margareth LEVORSDATTER-3185 Yr of Birth 1814

HUSBAND - Levor HENDRICKSEN-3184

Doc: 1860 Wis. Census 5 June p 386 Town of Spring Valley #15 Dwell# 53 Fam. 56 (MFM 317.75 Un 3W 8th Cen.1860 pt.2). Age given:59; occupation: Farmer; born Norway (See copy in file)

Emigration: After 1850-before 1854 (from children's ages & birthplaces)

Intent to Naturalize: Rock Co. C.H. Vol 4 p 226 1 Apr 1858. Signed with his mark

Working theory he is Levor Herbrandsen's 1st cousin---needs research

WIFE - Margareth LEVORSDATTER-3185

Doc : 1860 Wis. Census gives age as 46, b. Norway

Doc. her patronymic is Levorsdatter--??from son Hendrick's marriage cert.--needs validation

CHILD 1 - Hendrick LEVORSEN-3186

Doc: 1860 Wis Census

Emigration: From Norway with parents. Needs doc.

Marriage: Rock Co. Reg. Deeds Vol 3 p 382

CHILD 2 - Tolef LEVORSEN-3187

Doc: 1860 Wis Census

Emigration: From Norway as child with parents. Needs doc.

Marriage:Rock Co. Reg. Deeds Vol 2 p 163

CHILD 3 - Knud LEVORSEN-3162

Doc B/Chr: Recorded on tombstone in Luther Valley Cemetery. (Photo taken 19 Jun 1991 by RKF in file)

Doc: Wisconsin Census 1860, Town of Spring Valley, age 18 would make birth in 1846, b. Norway

Death/Burial: Luther Valley Church Record Book #II 1856-1882. Tombstone states "Under Hviler hvor Salige i Stovet Hensaa vende Son Knud Levorsen fod den 5 Aug Aug 1842 Dodt 19 Sept 1865 i en Alder of 23 Aar og 44 Dage" [Rough translation: Beneath Rests Where Blessed in _______ Respect ___________son Knud Levorsen born 5 Aug 1842 Died 19 Sept 1865 at the age of 23 years and 44 days]

Gerhard Naeseth lists this man as the son of RKF ancestor Levor Herbrandsen (RIN# 155). Further research has convinced RKF that he may instead be the son of this family. (See notes on Knud Levorsen, FGR # 32) More research needed to determine that this man is not the son of Levor Herbrandsen--or indeed whether he is a third Knud Levorsen, not the son of either this family or the Herbrandsens!

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-890
DOCUMENTATION

HUSBAND	Levor HENDRICKSEN-3184	Yr of Birth 1801
WIFE	Margareth LEVORSDATTER-3185	Yr of Birth 1814

CHILD 4 - Isabella LEVORSEN-3188
Doc: 1860 Wis. Census, age 14, b. Norway

CHILD 5 - Margareth LEVORSEN-3189
Doc: 1860 Wis. Census, age 10, b. Norway

Emigration: From Norway as child with parents. Needs doc.

CHILD 6 - Henry LEVORSEN-3190
Doc: 1860 Wis. Census, age 6 mo., b. Wis. First child this family born in USA

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                                        FAMILY GROUP RECORD-886
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HUSBAND Henrich HERBRANDSEN-3051
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BORN:      Dec 1800        PLACE: Mylie,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
CHR.:   30 Sep 1800        PLACE: Parish Church,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
DIED:      Apr 1870        PLACE: Spring Valley,Rock,WI
BUR.:   22 Apr 1870        PLACE: LutherValleyCem.,Plymouth Twp./,Rock Co./,WI
MARR:                      PLACE:
FATHER: Herbrand Henrichsen MYLIE-3046                                       PARENTS' MRIN: 826
MOTHER: Aase Levorsdatter GARNAAS-3047
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WIFE    Margret-3174
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BORN:   Abt    1797        PLACE: ,,,Norway
CHR.:                      PLACE:
DIED:                      PLACE: ,,WI
BUR.:                      PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:
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CHILDREN
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 1.  NAME: Henry HENRICHSEN-3200
---- BORN:       1828        PLACE: ,,,Norway
 M   CHR.:                   PLACE:
     DIED:                   PLACE: ,,,USA
     BUR.:                   PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Christen-3201                                                    MRIN: 895
     MARR: Abt    1844       PLACE: ,,,Norway
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 2.  NAME:
---- BORN:                   PLACE:
     CHR.:                   PLACE:
     DIED:                   PLACE:
     BUR.:                   PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                   PLACE:
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 3.  NAME:
---- BORN:                   PLACE:
     CHR.:                   PLACE:
     DIED:                   PLACE:
     BUR.:                   PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                   PLACE:
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     CHR.:                   PLACE:
     DIED:                   PLACE:
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     MARR:                   PLACE:
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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-886
DOCUMENTATION

29 Jul 1992

HUSBAND Henrich HERBRANDSEN-3051 Yr of Birth 1800
WIFE Margret-3174 Yr of Birth 1797

HUSBAND - Henrich HERBRANDSEN-3051

B/Chr: MF 123840 PR Nes pg 216 #160. Parents"Herbrand og Aase Levorsdtr. Mylie". Witnesses" Guri Garnaas, Margrete Olsd., Jorgen, Levord og_______ (last name indecipherable."

Named for his father's father, Henrich Herbrandsen Mylie (RIN #3046) (1st son)

Emigration: Left Norway some time between 1842-1848. No doc. found in search of Rock Co. records

Marriage: 1850 Wis. Census Spring Valley (MFM 317 Un 3) Family # 724 lists him age 50 & presumed wife

Death/Burial: Luther Valley Church Rec. Book II Part I 1856-1882

WIFE - Margret-3174

Only reference to her to date is in 1850 Wis. Census Spring Valley, age 73, living with Hendrick Herbransen. Know she is not his Mother; if she were his wife's mother would not have same last name. Working assumption is that age given is wrong & proper age for her 53. Needs to be proved.

CHILD 1 - Henry HENRICHSEN-3200

B/Chr: Age 32 1860 Wis. Census Spring Valley, Rock Co., Wis. P.O. Brodhead June 11 p 400 Dwell.156 Fam 164 1870 Wis Census gives age as 59

Place in this family needs to be doc.

Emigrated after 1845/before 1851 (det. by ages & b.p.of children)

Fifth Generation
Leverson

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Levord Herbransen Mylie
+
Guro Christiansdatter Garnaas

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-32

29 Apr 1996

HUSBAND Levor HERBRANDSEN-155

BORN: Dec 1803 PLACE: Mylie,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
CHR.: 26 Dec 1803 PLACE: Parish Church,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
DIED: 22 Sep 1846 PLACE: Spring Valley,Rock,WI
BUR.: 26 Sep 1846 PLACE: LutherValleyChch,Plymouth Twp,Rock Co,WI
MARR: Abt 1828 PLACE: ,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
FATHER: Herbrand Henrichsen MYLIE-3046 PARENTS' MRIN: 826
MOTHER: Aase Levorsdatter GARNAAS-3047

WIFE Guro CHRISTIANSDATTER-156

BORN: ~~1799~~ PLACE: Garnaas,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
CHR.: 29 NOV 1801 PLACE:
DIED: Aft 1880 PLACE: ,,WI
BUR.: PLACE: has other marriage(s)
FATHER: Christian Levorsen GARNAAS-3078 PARENTS' MRIN: 835
MOTHER: Guri Knudsdatter GUDBRANDSRUD-3079

CHILDREN

1. NAME: Aase (Elizabeth) LEVORSDATTER-3052
---- BORN: Mar 1829 PLACE: Mylie,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
F CHR.: 23 May 1829 PLACE: Parish Church,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
DIED: 7 Nov 1882 PLACE: PleasantValleyTw,Mower Co,MN
BUR.: PLACE: ,Mower Co,MN
SPOUSE: Guttorm (Bostrud) OLSEN-3153 MRIN: 875
MARR: 10 Jun 1851 PLACE: LuthParsonage,Plymouth Twp,Rock Co,WI

2. NAME: Herbrand (Herbert) LEVERSON-144
---- BORN: 25 Jan 1831 PLACE: Mylie,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
M CHR.: 28 Feb 1831 PLACE: Parish Church,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
DIED: 25 Mar 1912 PLACE: Kimball Twp,Jackson Co,MN
BUR.: PLACE: Bethany Cem,Christiania Twp,Jackson Co,MN
SPOUSE: Kari Andersdatter LANDE-145 MRIN: 31
MARR: 2 Nov 1854 PLACE: EastKoshkonongCh,Christiania Twp,Dane Co,WI

3. NAME: Christian "Christ" LEVORSEN-3053
---- BORN: Oct 1833 PLACE: Mylie,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
M CHR.: 6 Nov 1833 PLACE: Parish Church,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
DIED: Aft 1893 PLACE: Spring Valley,Rock,WI
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Ingeborg Karine (Isabelle) FOSSUM-3156 MRIN: 876
MARR: Abt 1855 PLACE: ,,WI

4. NAME: Guri (Julia) LEVORSDATTER-3157
---- BORN: 3 Feb 1835 PLACE: Mylie,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
F CHR.: 8 Mar 1835 PLACE: ,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
DIED: PLACE: ,,WI
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Ole EVANSON-3158 MRIN: 877
MARR: Bef 1860 PLACE:

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HUSBAND Levor HERBRANDSEN-155                                  Yr of Birth 1803
WIFE    Guro CHRISTIANSDATTER-156                              Yr of Birth 1799
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CHILDREN (continued)
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 5. NAME: Ingebor (Isabel) LEVORSDATTER-3159
---- BORN:                  PLACE: Mylie,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
 F   CHR.: 10 Nov 1838      PLACE: Parish Church,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
     DIED:                  PLACE:
     BUR.:                  PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Knud CHRISTIANSEN-3160                            MRIN: 878
     MARR: Bef    1860      PLACE: ,,WIs.
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 6. NAME: Knud (Knud Lever) LEVORSEN-3183
---- BORN: 14 Oct 1842      PLACE: Mylie,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
 M   CHR.:  6 Nov 1842      PLACE: Parish Church,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
     DIED: Aft    1880      PLACE: ,Spring Valley,Rock,WI
     BUR.:                  PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Kari (Caroline)-3195                              MRIN: 894
     MARR: Abt    1875      PLACE:
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20 Jan 1855

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Deed Bk 45, p452 Warranty Deed

Quit Claim Deed

HUSBAND	Levor HERBRANDSEN-155	Yr of Birth 1803
WIFE	Guro CHRISTIANSDATTER-156	Yr of Birth 1799

HUSBAND - Levor HERBRANDSEN-155

Doc: B/Chr: PR Nes Buskerud MF 0123840 b.5 1787-1807. 1803 pg 282# 15, FHLC, S.L.C. Parents:"Herbrand Henrichsen og Aase Levorsdtr.Mylie. Witnesses:"Kari Aaltverz(?), Ragne Bordnas,Steengrim, Thore Olsen og Peder Garnaas."

Name Levord on his christening record & those of his children. [In other words, on church documents]. Always Levor in civil documents. Named for his mother's father Levor Knudsen Garnaas (RIN# 3065) .His mother's mother, Ragne Steengrimsdatter Bortnas (RIN# 3066) was one of the witnesses for his christening, also Peder Garnaas, another witness, is his mother's brother, one of his two uncles by that name.

Confirmation: 14 Jan 1821, PR Nes Buskerud (Luther Valley Kirke Bog #71))

Emigration: Debarked from Port of Drammen,Norway May 1843; arrived NYC July 22, 1843. Passenger list (G.Naeseth ref#223; also zerox copy in file) confirms name of ship was Johanna & he was accompanied by his wife & six children, listed Levor, Mile, as follows: age 38, male, Farmer; Guri, age 37, female; Herbrand, 11 1/2,male; Christian, 8, male; Knud, 1/2, male; Aase, 14, female; Guri, 6, female;Ingebor, 2 1/2, female. He was also accompanied by his brother Ole(RIN#3182).

Recorded in NORWEGIAN IMMIGRANTS TO THE UNITED STATES VOL. I, auth. Gerhard Naeseth, p. 228, Ref. #845., as "Levor Herbrandsen Mili [Levor Mile], s. of Herbrand Hendricksen Myhli and Aase Levorsdatter, bp. in Nes, Buskerud, Dec. 26, 1802. Emig. to Spring Valley Tp., Rock Co., Wis. Farmer, bur. Sept. 22, 1846. Mar. Jan. 24, 1828,"

Intent to Naturalize: Rock Co. Reg.Deeds Vol I p 50 21 Mar 1845 (copy of papers in file--note beautiful flourishing signature at a time when most applicants signed with a mark). Application is to the Territory of Wisconsin, states he was born in Norway in the Kingdom of Sweden, renounces all loyalty to said King, emigrated from the port of Drammen, Sweden (presently in Norway); stated destination was Plymouth Twp., Rock Co., Wis.

Land & Property: Rock Co. C.H.,Reg. Deeds,Deed Book 67, p39,Certificate No. 16.469. United States to Herbrandson. His homestead was a 40 acre tract of land in the NW Qtr. of the SE Qtr. of Sect. 25 Twp. 2 W of Range 10 E.(See file for complete copy).

Actually took possession of land 8 Feb 1845 (Map, p 99, Abstract of Lands, Town of Spring Valley, Rock Co. C.H.). Took adjoining SW qtr. of SE qtr. on 22 Aug 1846. (Same map). Patent was issued to "Levor Erberan" 10 Feb 1848. (Deed Book 45, p 194).

Historical Note: Wisconsin became a territory in its own name in 1836, and was still a territory when this family settled in Rock Co. (It became a state in 1848). Most of the early settlement was along Lake Michigan or in the Rock River valley.

JGF recorded an impression of this area on 17 June 1991, when he & RKF

explored the site. His notes read " Orfordsville is a pleasant town of some 1100 souls 14 mi. W & slightly S of Janesville. Two miles S on county road K, one comes to an intersection with a paved section road heading due W. This is the SE corner of Sect 25, Spring Valley Twp. The lands of Levor Herbrandsen start at a point 0.25 mi W along the section road & run to the 0.5 mi point. They extend 0.5 mi N; i.e., the W 1/2 of SE 1/4, Sect. 25."

"This part of Rock Co. is hilly, with large clumps of trees around farm houses & streams & some entire sections have been allowed to go back to nature. These are dense--almost impenetrable--forests of hardwoods, some with trunks more than a foot in diameter, and thick underbrush. This second growth shows how thickly forested this part of Wisconsin must have been when the first settlers arrived and the incredible labor that went into clearing the land before it could be farmed. Although the soil looks fertile & the corn is already high, the farmhouses in this area are rather modest, and many are pretty seedy. They do not look as prosperous as the farmhouses around Jackson, Minn., & LeMars, Ia. Perhpas this might explain why RKF's ancestors moved west to the rolling plains of southern Minnesota."

(Further historical background was excerpted by RKF from the History of Rock County (1856) in the library of Rock Co. Historical Society, Janesville. See file)

Page 125-6 of this volume describes Spring Valley as follows " This town contains very little prairie. Its surface is gently undulating and covered with a scattering growth of large bur oaks, with more or less hickory, and altogether a very good agricultural town, well watered, well wooded, a good productive soil with a reasonable portion of good, natural meadow for cutting hay, making it altogether a very desirable location for a farmer who wishes the conveniences [Ital.] for a farm-rather than to have an extensive one. The Southern Wisconsin Railroad will pass through this town and will have a station here. (Note: This turned out to be apocryphal. The RR bypassed Spring Valley, & that may explain its demise as a town) They have in this town one store, one tavern, kept by Col. E. Clapp [one of the first settlers, who fought in the War of 1812] and Dr. S.W. Abbot, & a post office. The population of this town in 1850 was 766; in 1855 it was 1,006. It has 10 school districts & 6 school houses. The number of scholars is 351. This town receives the sum of $275 from the state school fund the present year. "

This, then is the land where Levor established his family in the new world. Unfortunately he, himself, did not live long enough to see any of the described development. (He had been dead 10 years when this history was written). But his children lived in this area for a number of years. (Some of them may have been part of the school population described above)

Church: Our discovery of the church records was a combination of research & serendipity! In the history book of Rock Co., RKF noticed a reference to a place called Borints, where a Norwegian newspaper, the EMMIGRANTEN had been printed. We found it on a township map, right near Orfordville, very near to Levor's land. Even more interesting, we noticed there was a Norwegian Lutheran Church right there, & our hunch was that this would have been where they had attended church. We drove to Borints, a hamlet of a few houses at the cross

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WIFE Guro CHRISTIANSDATTER-156 Yr of Birth 1799

road between the borders of Plymouth & Christiana Townships. There we found the old parish house, now owned by a nice young family (See photos in file). The young mother there pointed us to the Norwegian Lutheran Church just down the road. There we found the Luther Valley Lutheran Church, & documentation that Levor had assisted in its organization. Located in Newark Twp., the church is less than a quarter of a mile across the boundary between the old parsonage, which is in Plymouth Co., & which served as the first center for church activities until the church itself was completed & ready to be used in the fall of 1845. The first register of the parish is entitled "Kirke Bog for Den Norske Lutherske Meninghed ved Rock Prarier, Rock County, Wisconsin Territory, North America". The first part of Book I is an Index in which all church members are recorded alphabetically by given name as they entered the church either through proof of previous Lutheran church membership, by confirmation, or as members of the family of an accepted member. The Index is hand-written in a beautiful, small script. The Index ends in 1856 and has a total of 1101 names of individuals and CLVIII families.

Levor was accepted on 22 Dec 1845 as Member # 71, Family # XVI. Family members listed under his name were: Guro Christiansdatter, Christian (Son), Guri (Datter), Ingeborg (Datter), Knud (Son). Herbrand & Aase are not listed with the family, probably because they were listed as members of the beginning Confirmation class.

Probate: Official Index at Rock Co. Courthouse. Old records housed at Rock Co. Historical Society. File # 137: Herbrandsen, Lavora---file folder was empty. no indication of what might have been in it.

File # 12066 Court Record Z Page 52. Herbrandsen, Levor. Quit Claim Deed 20 Jan 1855 (Deed Book Z, p 265) & Warranty Deed 8 Mar 1860 (Deed Book 45, p 452) documents sale of land jointly held by Levor's widow and six children to his son Herbrand Levorsen. Copies in file, entire brief recorded in Herbrand Leverson FGR #144.

Death: He died intestate. Working assumption is his death was by an accident. The brutal work of clearing and preparing and farming that land makes it easy to imagine the scenario by which he might have met his untimely end. The fact that he took possession of additional land only a month before his death strongly suggests that he was actively at work developing his claims, and not ill or anticipating his death.

Burial: Rock Co. Vital Records Vol. 1 pg 428 #7. Luther Valley Church Records Book I No. 7 Doc G. "Grubolt Dod vie Begravne No. 7.26 Sept. 1846". [This means he was the 7th burial & was buried in Plot #7. The first six plots were occupied by very small children & infants who had died within the same week.]

WIFE - Guro CHRISTIANSDATTER-156

Doc:B\Chr:N chr. doc.to date. 1801 Census Nes (MicroFiche 6200776)lists her as Guro on farm Garnaas, 2 yrs old. May have been born there or family may have moved there between her birth & the census. Family lived on Garnaas farm until they moved to Dokken farm some time between 1805 (Brother Ole's confirmation as Garnaas) & 1809 (Brother Knud's confirmation as Dokken). [Very likely her father died & mother remarried]

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Name: Earliest records list her as Guro Christiansdatter. On Confirmation record she is Guro Jonsdatter. After immigration she dropped her farm name & was called Guro Christiansdatter. On Levor's probate records, on second marriage record & both censuses is Guro. Death certificate for her son Herbrand filed in Jackson Co., Minn., lists her as Carrie Garness. Either Julia or Carrie or Caroline were common Anglizations of the name Guro, but as yet have uncovered no other documents which list her by any name other than Guro.

Confirmation: PR Nes, Buskerud MF 123840 17739 Pt.2 pg199#7 8 Dec 1817:"Guro Jonsdatter.Dokken. Gud." [Gud means she did well in the content of the confirmation process]. Date fits age on census. Need to research death,burial, probate records for father's possible death & mother's possible remarriage to man named Jon to explain why she is listed as "Jonsdatter".

Marriage: No marriage record found to date of first marriage to Levor. Christening records of her children, ship's passenger list Johanna (G. Naeseth Ref#223) state she is Levor's wife.

Recorded in NORWEGIAN IMMIGRANTS TO THE UNITED STATES VOL. I, auth. Gerhard Naeseth, p. 229, Ref. # 846, as "Guro Christiansdatter Dokken [Guri], dau. of Christian Levordsen Dokken and Guri Knudsdatter, bp. Nov. 29, 1801. She was mar. again, June 18, 1848, to John Johnsen Brostrud."

Doc. second marriage G. Naeseth Ref. #223. Listed on 1850 Wis. Census for Spring Valley, Rock Co.(MFM 317 Un 3) as Guro Johnson, age 49., which would make her birth date 1801. Children in household listed 1850 Census: Tulif [Tolef] Johnson, age 8; Julia Johnson, age 19; Helbron Lewison, age 20; Christian Lewison, age 18; Knute Lewison, age 8; Osey Lewison, age 21; Julia Lewison, age 16; Yugbu Lewison, age 11. (Obviously these are Guro & Levor's children. (See John Johnssen first marriage MRIN #906)

The 1870 Wis. Census for Spring Valley (MFM 317.75 Un3 W) shows a Guro Leverson age 72 [Birth year then 1798-99] living with her son Canute Leverson, age 26. The 1880 Wis. Census for Spring Valley, Rock Co., shows Guro Lever, age 79 [Birth year then 1801] living with Knud Lever, age 30, and his family. Working theory is that both these are her. One other possibility is that she may be found under her 2nd married name, Guro Johnson. Obviously, more research is needed to find her in her later years & establish her death.

D/Bur:No record to date. Search of church & civil records in Rock Co., including Luther Valley Church, through 1900, has not as yet produced doc. of her death. (Death records were very spotty from 1872 to 1882. No funerals were listed for 1873-76.)

Other marriages:
18 Jun 1848 John Johnssen BOSTRUD-3165 MRIN: 879

CHILD 1 - Aase (Elizabeth) LEVORSDATTER-3052
Doc: B/Chr: MF 123840 pt2 1823-34 Nes i Hallingdal Buskerud. Parents:"Levord Henrichsen og Guro Christiansdtr. Myhlie". Witnesses:"Margrit ___ Myhlie, Peder Aalthon, Randi, Guro Erdal"

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Recorded in NORWEGIAL IMMIGRANTS TO THE UNITED STATES VOL. I, auth. Gerhard Naeseth, p. 229, Ref.# 847, as "Aase Levorsdatter Mili, b. Dec. 19, 1827; Mar. June 10, 1851, Guttorm Olsen Engen, who emig. from Nes in 1846, and whom she is described further." [Research question: MF rec. also gave b. date as 14 Oct 1827; chr. date 19 Dec 1827; same witnesses as above. Did RKF misread the rec., or was there an earlier infant who died before her birth?]

Emigration: Port of Drammen, Norway May 1843, on ship Johanna, age 14, with family (G. Naeseth ref#223/ pass. list)

Confirmation: 19 Nov 1848 entered in Luther Valley Member Index # 695 as Aase Levorsdatter Mylie, Pige [Norwegian for girl]

Named for her father's mother, Aase Levorsdatter Garnaas (RIN #3047). In land record dated 1860 name is given as "Osey", which approximates English phonetic pronunciation of Aase; sometime before 1867, according to references to her in the land records named below, she began to call herself "Elizabeth".

Land & Property: Upon her father's death in 1846 she, along with her 5 siblings & her mother, inherited the property which had been patented to her father. In 1855 her mother, she, & 4 of her siblings quit-claimed the same land to her brother Herbrand Levorsen . (See Herbrand Levorsen FGR# 144 for details)

Marriage: Marriage Reg. Vol B 1848-69 pg 173, Rock Co., Wis. Witnesses: F. Ingebrettsen, Asle Nielsen. Pastor: C.L. Clausen. The marriage took place in the church parsonage, about 1/2 mile up the road from the present church in Plymouth Twp. (the township boundary runs right between the two). The first church was not erected until several years later.

She & her husband moved to Mower Co., Minnesota, sometime before 15 June 1860 according to affadavit signed by Justice of the Peace Enid Bassett

Death: Mower Co. Death Rec. Vol.A, p 111, #162. "Oleson,[no first name,age, parents],Female, Wid., Twp. Pleasant Valley, no cause of death.] Lacking any other reference to a woman her name,general age, etc., working theory is this is Aase. Needs further validation.

CHILD 2 - Herbrand (Herbert) LEVERSON-144

Doc: Birth/Chr:MF Parish Register Buskerud 0123841 Nes 8 1823-24 Vesterheim Genealogical Center & LDS FHLC. Witnesses: "Siver Aulthon, Erik Aarigaarden, Levor, Ole [father's brothers],Gunaar Ingeborg O___". Named for father's father Death record gives birth date different from parish record (that date 1 Jan 1831); death record accepted as more accurate.

He is recorded p. 229 in NORWEGIAN IMMIGRANTS TO THE UNITED STATES, VOL.I, auth. Gerhard Naeseth, p.229, Ref. No. 848, as Herbrand Levorsen Mili [Herbrand], b. Feb. 28, 1830.

Name: According to custom, named for his father's father. Typical of many Norwegian immigrants, in his early adulthood he began to use surnames and even given names other than his birth name & patronymic. Early civil records, i.e.

marriage, census returns & land records list him under many variations of his name. In his father's land records, his church marriage record & in one land record (1858), he is listed as Herbrand Levorsen or Levordsen. But the name he most commonly used in land records in 1854, 1856, 1861, 1864 & 1867 is Abram Lever or Abraham Lever. Some time, probably after he moved to Minnesota, he began to call himself Herbert Leverson, and that's the name he used for the remainder of his life. He & his brothers began to use the name Lever or Leversen, later Leverson, for all their children, male & female alike, & that is the name which has been adopted by all later descendents.

Emigration: May 1843 from Port of Drammen, Norway on ship Johanna at age 12 with family;arrived in New York City in July 1843 (Doc:Father's Intent to Naturalize certificate. Copy in file). The Captain's name was L. Mansing; the passenger list is detailed in A CHRONICLE OF OLD MUSKEGO, pp. 227-232. (Also confirmed by G. Naeseth Ref # 223) He settled with his family in Spring Valley, farming there throughout his young adulthood, buying & selling land.

Confirmation: Luther Valley Church Member Index (Orig.in church office titled " Kirke Bog for Den Norsk Lutherske Meninghed ved Rock Pramer 1846-1856) # 690 as Herbrand Levorsen Mylie, Ungkar (Bachelor) when confirmed 19 Nov 1848

Marriage: Dane Co. Reg. Deeds, Marriage Reg. Vol.#1 June 12, 1852 to April 29, 1858 Page 180 #2. His Father: Levor Herbrandsen. His Mother: Guro Christiansd. His Occupation: Blank. His Residence: Christiana Twp. Dane Co. Birthplace: Norway. Wife's name: Kari Anderson. Her Father: Andreas Helliksen. Her Mother: Berit Gullaksd. Where Married: Christiana Twp. Minister: A.C. Preus (Asst. Pastor East Koshkonong Church 1850-1860. Note this is parish of Kari's parents)

Residence: Note Herbrand's residence at time of wedding was Christiana Twp. Kari & Herbrand lived in Dane Co., probably with her parents, until their first baby, Levor, was born in Jan 1855. They then moved back to Spring Valley, Rock Co., and lived there until about 1862. From then until about 1864-65 they lived in Deerfield, Dane Co., Wis., then moved to Mower Co., Minn., where they lived until about 1873-74. They moved to Kimball Twp. in Jackson Co., Minn. before their last child, Helmer, was born there in 1874. In the 1880 Minn. Census they were living in Petersburg Twp., Jackson Co. They stayed in Jackson Co. for the remainder of their lives. According to his death certificate, he was living in Kimball Twp. at the time of his death.In addition to the documentation in land records, this chronology also corresponds to the 1850 Wis. & the 1860 & 1870 Minn. censuses. (See file)

Land & Property: 1855 Deed Book Z, p 265, Rock Co. C.H. is Quit Claim Deed: dated 1855, for the sum of $1806, specifies release by his mother & siblings & conveys to him full title of land in Spring Valley Township which is described as " the SW qtr. of the SE qtr. of Sect.25 in Twp. 2 N of range 10 E, also the SW qtr. of the NW qtr. of Sect.30 in Twp. 2 N of range 11, the total amount of land containing 80 acres & 13/100ths. The document is signed with LS & the marks of each family member.(Copy of entire document in file).

A later Warranty Deed (Deed Book 45, p 452) was executed 8 Mar 1860, and is another conveyance by the siblings of Herbrand, along with their

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spouses, which repeats and amplifies the amount of land they sold to him but is otherwise very much a repetion of the above. The additional land was: S half of NW qtr. of Sect. 30 in Twp.#2 N of Range 11 E. The sum of money is the same as in the first document. (Copy this document in file). (Plat map marked with above property in file).

[The last interesting information in this last document is the information it gives about the names of all the spouses of Levor's children, all of which are recorded on their individual FGRs.]

Herbrand also probably owned land in Deerfield Twp.,Dane Co., WI,between 1862 & 1864/5 & he definitely owned land in Petersburg & Kimball Townships in Jackson Co. after 1864 until his death in 1912. This needs documentation.

Death/Burial: Death Records Jackson Co Bk E p 71 Ln 3 "Herbran Leverson. B.1-25-1831 D. 3-25-1912. Kimball Twp. Farmer. Cause of death : "Chronic nephritis (2 yr. duration). Born Norway. Father: Levi Leverson. Mother: Carrie Garness. (Photo of grave in file.)

CHILD 3 - Christian "Christ" LEVORSEN-3053

Doc: B/Chr:MF 123840 pt 2 1823-34 Nes i Hallingdal Buskerud. Parents"Levord Herbrandsen Guro Christiansdtr. Mylie". Witnesses" Ingeborg Thora(?) Ole og Fingar Thor. Margrit Braaten"

Recorded in NORWEGIAN IMMIGRANTS TO THE UNITED STATES VOL. I, auth Gerhard Naeseth, p. 229, Ref.#849, as "Christian Levorsen Mili, b. Nov.6, 1832."

Named for mother's father, Christian Levorsen Garnaas (RIN #3078). Sometimes used name "Christ", sometimes in land records "Christ Lever."

Able to sign his name on all known documents (1861-1864-1867-1893--see Herbrand Leverson (FGR# 144) & Levor Herbrandsen (FRG# 155) files for doc.)

Confirmation: Entered in Luther Valley Church Reg. Book I, #738, as Christian Levorsen Mylie, Ungkar (Bachelor) on 12 Apr 1849

Emigration: Port of Drammen, Norway with family, age 10, on ship Johanna (G. Naeseth ref #223./pass. list)

Marriage: Warranty Deed Rock Co. Levorsen et al to H. Levorsen (See H. Levorsen FGR #31). Also christening records of his children

Land & Property: Rock Co. Reg. Deeds Vol. 49 p 177. Property conveyed by warranty deed dated 17 October 1861 & recorded 19 October 1861: S.W 1/4 of the N.W. 1/4 of Section 30 , Town 2, North of Range 11, East, town of Plymouth, Rock Co., Wis.; conveyed by Abraham Levorson to Christian Levorson. (This is part of the same deed listed in Rock Co. originally warranted to Levor Herbrandsen in 1847)

Land Records (Deed Vol 132,p 36 Indenture 13 April 1893)as Widower, signed deed

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Doc: B/Chr: Birth date from passenger list Johanna when she emigrated Norway with family May 1843 (G. Naeseth ref #223/pass. list)

Christening data parish rec. (MF 0278204 Nes i Hallingdal 1834-63, p.39, #75, Wit: Halvor Groe(?).

Named for mother's mother Guri Knudsdatter Gudbrandsrud (RIN #3079). Some time before 1867, apparently Americanized name to "Julia".

Recorded in NORWEGIAN IMMIGRANTS TO THE UNITED STATES VOL. I, auth. Gerhard Naeseth, p. 229. Ref.#850, as "Guri Levorsdatter Mili, b. Feb. 3, 1835."

Confirmation: Entered in Luther Valley Church Register, Book I, #754, as Guri Levorsdatter Mylie, Pige (Girl), 12 Apr 1849

Marriage: Quit Claim & Warranty Deeds Levorsen et al to H. Levorsen dated 8 Mar 1860, Rock Co.(copies on file Herbrand Levorsen FGR # 31)

Residence: Lived in Rock Co. after marriage at least until mid-1867, when she & her siblings quit-claimed part of their inherited property to their widowed mother for the sum of $1. (Rock Co. Reg.Deeds Vol 67 p 441 Indenture 22 Apr 1867 recorded 17 May 1867)

CHILD 5 - Ingebor (Isabel) LEVORSDATTER-3159

Doc: B/Chr: Passenger list of ship Johanna when she emigrated with family at age 5 from Norway in May 1843. (G. Naeseth Ref. # 223/Pass list)

Recorded in NORWEGIAN IMMIGRANTS TO THE UNITED STATES VOL I, auth. Gerhard Naeseth, p. 229. Ref.#851, as Ingebor Levorsdatter Mili, b. Nov. 10, 1838.

Named for her paternal great-grandmother, Ingeborg Olsdatter(RIN# 3056). Some time before 1867 adopted the name "Isabel", so named on court record that date (Rock Co.Reg.Deeds Vol 67 p441)

Named in Rock Co. Warranty Deed at time of father's death. Also named in Luther Valley Church First Book 1846-1859 as daughter in father's family when he became member 22 Dec 1845 (#71)

Marriage: Husband listed on Warranty Deed to H.Levorsen dated 8 Mar 1860. [NOTE: Naeseth says she was married to Ole Olsen Onsgaard. Needs research.]

Residence: Living in Waseca Co., Minnesota in 1867 (deposition Justice of the Peace P.G. Bailey that county attached to above named deed).

1870 US Census Waseca Co., New Richland Twp, MN, gives following: Christenson, Ingebor, 36 (?), Keeps house, b. Norway.

Presumed to have died in Minn. pending further research.

CHILD 6 - Knud (Knud Lever) LEVORSEN-3183

Doc:B/Chr: G.Naeseth (Ref. 223) lists him as 9 month old baby in May 1843. MF at Vesterheim gave birth date as Oct. 14, 1842; chr. date Nov. 6.

CHILD 6 -
DOCUMENTATION

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WIFE Guro CHRISTIANSDATTER-156 Yr of Birth 1799

Emigration: Listed on Passenger List of ship Johanna when emigrated from Port of Drammen, Norway, with family in May 1843. (G. Naeseth Ref. # 223)

Recorded in NORWEGIAN IMMIGRANTS TO THE UNITED STATES VOL. I, auth. Gerhard Naeseth, p. 229, Ref.# 852, as "Knud Levorsen Mili, b. Aug.5, 1842, d. Sept. 19, 1865, bur. Luther Valley Luth. Cem.--Nes, Nor., par.rec; 1850, 1860 Wis. cen.; Luther Valley Luth. Cem.; Luther Valley Luth. Ch. par. rec."

NOTE: As above, Gerhard Naeseth believed he died 19 Sept 1865 & is buried in Luther Valley Cemetery. Further research by RKF, including land & census records, led to conclusion that the young man who died that date was another Knud Levorsen, son of Levor Hendricksen (FGR#890), who was probably a 1st cousin of this Knud's father.

1870 Wis. Census Spring Valley Dwelling #4 Fam. #5 : Leverson, Guro, age 72, Keeping house, b. Norway; Canute Levorsen, age 26, Farmer, b. Norway.

Marriage: 1880 Census (below) gives names of wife & family. Marriage date est. by age of oldest child

1880 US Census Wis., Rock Co., Twp. Spring Valley, Vol 24, ED 198, Sheet 13, Line 29, Dwell. # 124 Fam.# 124 : Knud Lever, age 30, Farmer, b. Norway; Caroline Lever, age 27, Keeping house, b. Norway; Levi Lever, age 5, Son, b. Wis.; Julia M. Lever, age 4, Daughter, b. Wis.; Clara Lever, age 2, Daughter, b. Wis., Thomas Lever, age 10/12, Son, b. Wis.; Goro Lever, age 79, Mother, widowed, b. Norway.

FAMILY GROUP RECORD

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HUSBAND [illegible]

BORN: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]
CHR.: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]
MARR.: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]
DIED: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]
BUR.: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]
FATHER: [illegible]
MOTHER: [illegible]

WIFE [illegible]

BORN: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]
CHR.: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]
DIED: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]
BUR.: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]
FATHER: [illegible]
MOTHER: [illegible]

CHILDREN:

1. [illegible]
BORN: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]
CHR.: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]
DIED: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]
BUR.: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]
SPOUSE: [illegible]
MARR: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]

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BORN: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]
CHR.: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]
DIED: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]
BUR.: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]
SPOUSE: [illegible]
MARR: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]

3. [illegible]
BORN: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]
CHR.: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]
DIED: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]
BUR.: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]
SPOUSE: [illegible]
MARR: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]

4. [illegible]
BORN: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]
CHR.: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]
DIED: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]
BUR.: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]
SPOUSE: [illegible]
MARR: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-906

29 Apr 1996

HUSBAND John Johnssen BOSTRUD-3165

BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: 28 Jun 1801 PLACE: Bostrud,Oppdal,,Norway
DIED: Bef 1870 PLACE: ,,WI
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: Abt 1830 PLACE: ,,,Norway has other marriage(s)
FATHER:
MOTHER:

WIFE Anne OLSDATTER-5856

BORN: 16 Mar 1796 PLACE: ,,,Norway
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 10 Oct 1848 PLACE: ,Rock Co,WI
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

CHILDREN

1. NAME: Gunild Johnsdatter (Julia) BOSTRUD-3282
---- BORN: PLACE:
F CHR.: 24 Mar 1833 PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

2. NAME: Astrid Johnsdatter BOSTRUD-5857
---- BORN: 26 Feb 1837 PLACE:
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

3. NAME: Tolef Johnssen BOSTRUD-3283
---- BORN: 1842 PLACE: ,,,Norway
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

4. NAME: Guri Johnsdatter BOSTRUD-5858
---- BORN: PLACE:
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-906
DOCUMENTATION

HUSBAND	John Johnssen BOSTRUD-3165	Yr of Birth
WIFE	Anne OLSDATTER-5856	Yr of Birth 1796

HUSBAND - John Johnssen BOSTRUD-3165

Doc: 1850 Census lists him as John Johnson, age 51, Farmer, born Norway. Wife Guro Johnson, age 49. His two children: Tulif (probably Tolef) Johnson, age 8; Julia Johnson, age 19. Also listed are :Helbron Lewison, age 20; Christian Lewison, age 18; Knute Lewison, age 8; Osey Lewison, age 21; Julia Lewison, age 16; Yugbu Lewison, age 11. [Obviously these are Guro's Levorsen children]

Other marriages:

18 Jun 1848	Guro CHRISTIANSDATTER-156	MRIN: 879

WIFE - Anne OLSDATTER-5856

Doc: Luther Valley Luth. Ch. par. rec. #645 date her death or burial after her husband's marriage to Guro Levorsen. Needs checking.

CHILD 1 - Gunild Johnsdatter (Julia) BOSTRUD-3282

Doc: B/Chr:MFM 317 Un 3 1850 Wis. gives name as Gunild Johnsdatter. 1870 Census Rock Co. Town of Spring Valley, 19 yrs old, name given-"Julia Johnson"

CHILD 2 - Astrid Johnsdatter BOSTRUD-5857

Doc: Luther Valley Luth. Ch. par.rec. 10 Oct 1848

CHILD 3 - Tolef Johnssen BOSTRUD-3283

Doc: B/Chr:MFM 317 Un3 1850 Wis. Census Spring Valley Rock Co. Fam# 706 Age 8, born Norway, name listed "Tulif Johnson"

CHILD 4 - Guri Johnsdatter BOSTRUD-5858

Doc: Luther Valley Luth. Ch. par.rec., pg 12, Oct 10, 1848, gives her as "pige"

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HUSBAND Knud HERBRANDSEN-3177
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BORN:          1816           PLACE: Mylie,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
CHR.:                         PLACE:
DIED:     1 Aug 1893          PLACE: Chicago,Cook,Ill.
BUR.:                         PLACE:
MARR:                         PLACE:
FATHER: Herbrand Henrichsen MYLIE-3046                                              PARENTS' MRIN: 826
MOTHER: Aase Levorsdatter GARNAAS-3047
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WIFE
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BORN:                         PLACE:
CHR.:                         PLACE:
DIED:                         PLACE:
BUR.:                         PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:
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CHILDREN
==============================================================================================================
 1.  NAME: Jane HERBRANSEN-3178
---- BORN:                       PLACE:
 F   CHR.:                       PLACE:
     DIED:                       PLACE:
     BUR.:                       PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                       PLACE:
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 2.  NAME: Belle HERBRANSEN-3179
---- BORN:                       PLACE:
 F   CHR.:                       PLACE:
     DIED:                       PLACE:
     BUR.:                       PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                       PLACE:
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 3.  NAME: Carrie HERBRANSEN-3180
---- BORN:                       PLACE:
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 4.  NAME: Emma HERBRANSEN-3181
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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-888
DOCUMENTATION

HUSBAND	Knud HERBRANDSEN-3177	Yr of Birth 1816
WIFE		Yr of Birth

HUSBAND - Knud HERBRANDSEN-3177

B/Chr: Rock Co. C.H. Immigration Vol I p 174 9 Nov 1846, age given as 30
Need to research whether he is actually child in this family

Emigration: Above papers doc. emigrated Norway from port of Drammen May 1846, arrived NYC Sept. 1846

Marriage: Rock Co. Hist. Soc. Probate File #6467 Court Rec. K p 242 Papers filed by dau. seeking to settle his estate, dau. all named

Probate: Above file-- left estate of $3210.75, final settlement $3063.19. Funeral exp. prev. paid by heirs, no account of site or time of burial (Monument pd. by Admin. of estate 2 May 1899=$100.00)

Residence: Prev.to death, living in Clinton, Rock Co., Wis. (may have died in dau. Jane's home or in hospital in Chicago)

WIFE -

CHILD 1 - Jane HERBRANSEN-3178

Rock Co. Prob.Rec. #6467 gives her as dau. Sp.=Olmsted; Res.=Chicago, Cook, Ill.

CHILD 2 - Belle HERBRANSEN-3179

Rock Co. Prob. Rec. #6467 names her as dau. Sp.=Brunson; Res.=Rockford, Winnebago, Ill.

CHILD 3 - Carrie HERBRANSEN-3180

Rock Co. Prob. Rec. names her as dau. Sp.=Thompson; Res.= Janesville, Rock, Wis.

Later petition in settling his estate in same file--she contested father's will, apparently believed she should have it all. Result of hearing was that she was declared "an insane person" & appointed a guardian ad litem

CHILD 4 - Emma HERBRANSEN-3181

Rock Co. Prob. Rec. # 6467 names her as dau. Sp.= Brunson; Res.= Clinton, Rock, Wis.

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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-887

6 Oct 1993

HUSBAND Herbran HERBRANDSEN-3175

BORN: 1821 PLACE: Mylie,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE: ,,,USA
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: 19 Jun 1847 PLACE: Rock Co.,Terr. Wis.
FATHER: Herbrand Henrichsen MYLIE-3046 PARENTS' MRIN: 826
MOTHER: Aase Levorsdatter GARNAAS-3047

WIFE Ann THURBENDSEN-3176

BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
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FATHER:
MOTHER:

CHILDREN

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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-887
DOCUMENTATION

HUSBAND	Herbran HERBRANDSEN-3175	Yr of Birth 1821
WIFE	Ann THURBENDSEN-3176	Yr of Birth

HUSBAND - Herbran HERBRANDSEN-3175

B/Chr: Intent to Naturalize 1st papers Rock Co. Vol 1 p 67 16 Dec 1845 under name Herbren Herbertsen.

Emigration: Same ref. as above. Emigrated Norway from port of Drammen Apr 1842 arr. NYC Aug 1842. Signed with his mark

Marriage: Rock Co. Reg. Deeds Index p 165 Vol A 1840-1847 Card 18 Image 1-2 (MF) (Certified copy in file) License granted 18 Jun 1847 by Elisha F. Peck, Justice of the Peace; marriage performed next day by E. Eilson, Evangelical Lutheran Minister

Further research needed to doc. him as member of this family

WIFE - Ann THURBENDSEN-3176

Marriage to Herbran doc. Certified License (see his notes)

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HUSBAND Ole HERBRANDSEN-3182
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BORN:         1820          PLACE: ,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
CHR.:                       PLACE:
DIED:   19 Sep 1853         PLACE: ,Rock Co.,Wis.
BUR.:                       PLACE:
MARR:   15 May 1853         PLACE: ,Rock Co.,Wis.
FATHER: Herbrand Henrichsen MYLIE-3046                                     PARENTS' MRIN: 826
MOTHER: Aase Levorsdatter GARNAAS-3047
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Children?

HUSBAND Ole HERBRANDSEN-3182 Yr of Birth 1820
WIFE Yr of Birth

HUSBAND - Ole HERBRANDSEN-3182

B/Chr: Rock Co. C.H. Vol 1 p 52 5 Apr 1845 Intent to Naturalize (1st papers) age given as 25. Needs to be proven whether he is a child of this family

Emigration: Port of Drammen Apr 1943; arr. NYC July 1843. (Signed with excellent signature) Very likely ship was Johanna, same as brother Levor. Basis for working assumption he is brother. Needs to be researched

Marriage: Rock Co. Reg. Deeds Vol 1 p 66

Death: Rock Co. Reg. Deeds (spec. info misplaced)

WIFE -

Second Generation

Children of

[redacted]

Sixth Generation
Levorsen / Leverson
Henricksen / Herbrandsen

④ Guri Levorsdatter
+
Ole Evanson

— — — — —

⑤ Ingeborg Levorsdatter
+
Knud Christiansen

— — — —

② Herbrand Leverson
+
Kari Andersdatter Lande

— — — — —

⑥ ~~③~~ Knud Levorsen
+
Caroline

— — — —

⑨ Henry Henrichsen
+
Christen

— — — —

① Aase Levorsdatter
+
Guttorm Olsen

— — — — —

③ Christian Levorsen
+
Ingeborg Larsdatter

— — — — —

⑦ Hendrick Levorsen
+
Barbra Olsen

— — — — —

⑧ Tolef Levorsen
+
Guro Halvordsen

Family Group Record

Husband	**Herbrand (Herbert) LEVERSON**		
Born	25 Jan 1831	Place	Mylie, Nes i Hallingdal, Buskerud, Norway
Chris'd	28 Feb 1831	Place	Parish Church, Nes i Hallingdal, Buskerud, Norway
Died	25 Mar 1912	Place	Kimball Twp, Jackson Co, MN
Buried		Place	Bethany Cem, Christiania Twp, Jackson Co, MN
Married	2 Nov 1854	Place	EastKoshkonongCh, Christiania Twp, Dane Co, WI
Husband's father	Levor HERBRANDSEN		
Husband's mother	Guro CHRISTIANSDATTER		
Wife	**Kari Andersdatter LANDE**		
Born	3 Oct 1830	Place	Lande, Flesberg, Buskerud, Norway
Chris'd	31 Oct 1830	Place	Parish Church, Flesberg, Buskerud, Norway
Died	2 Jan 1913	Place	Kimball Twp, Jackson Co, MN
Buried	4 Jan 1913	Place	Bethany Cem, Christiania Twp, Jackson Co, MN
Wife's father	Andres Hellekson LANDE		
Wife's mother	Beret Gulleksdotter UNDERBERGET		
Children	List each child in order of birth.		
1 M	**Levor (Levi) LEVERSON**		
Born	24 Jan 1855	Place	Christiana Twp, Dane, WI
Chris'd	28 May 1855	Place	EastKoshkonongCh, Dane, WI
Died	12 Oct 1939	Place	Sanborn, Osceola, IA
Buried		Place	Bethany Cem, Christiania Twp, Jackson Co, MN
Spouse			
Married		Place	
2 F	**Clara Andrea LEVERSON**		
Born	22 Mar 1857	Place	Spring Valley, Rock, WI
Chris'd	5 Jul 1857	Place	LutherValleyChch, Plymouth Twp, Rock Co, WI
Died	22 Sep 1935	Place	Alpha, Jackson, MN
Buried		Place	Riverside Cem, Jackson, MN
Spouse	Ole MIKELSON		
Married	Abt 1873	Place	
3 M	**Henry Albert LEVERSON**		
Born	13 Jun 1859	Place	Spring Valley, Rock, WI
Chris'd	26 Jun 1859	Place	Luther Valley Church, Plymouth Twp, Rock Co, WI
Died	20 May 1951	Place	Jackson, Jackson, MN
Buried	28 May 1951	Place	Hauges Cemetery, Belmont Twp, Jackson Co, MN
Spouse	Sigrid Gunnarsdatter HUSBY		
Married	1 Jun 1882	Place	Jackson, Jackson, MN
4 F	**Julia LEVERSON**		
Born	1861	Place	Deerfield, Dane, WI
Chris'd		Place	
Died	1939	Place	Odin, Martin, MN
Buried		Place	Zion Luth Cem, Odin, Martin, MN
Spouse	Thorsten P. (Tom) LAINGEN		
Married	Aft 1885	Place	
5 M	**Carl Gustav (Charles) LEVERSON**		
Born	10 Oct 1863	Place	Deerfield, Dane, WI
Chris'd		Place	
Died	21 May 1934	Place	Odin, Martin, MN
Buried		Place	Zion Luth Cem, Odin, Martin, MN
Spouse	Olina Louise (Lena) OLSON		
Married	2 Dec 1893	Place	Jackson, Jackson, MN
6 M	**Austin Bernard LEVERSON**		
Born	7 Oct 1866	Place	Mower Co, MN
Chris'd		Place	
Died	27 Mar 1905	Place	Jackson, Jackson, MN
Buried		Place	Bethany Cem, Christiania Twp, Jackson Co, MN
Spouse			
Married		Place	
7 F	**Helen LEVERSON**		
Born	1869	Place	Mower Co., MN
Chris'd		Place	
Died	Aft 1913	Place	Beloit, Rock, WI
Buried		Place	

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Family Group Record

Husband		**Herbrand (Herbert) LEVERSON**			
Wife		**Kari Andersdatter LANDE**			
Children		List each child in order of birth.			
7	F	**Helen LEVERSON**			
		Spouse	Knute LOGAN		
		Married	Aft 1885	Place	
8	F	**Tilda (Tillie) LEVERSON**			
		Born	1872	Place	Mower Co., MN
		Chris'd		Place	
		Died	Aft 1913	Place	Beloit, Rock, WI
		Buried		Place	
		Spouse	Ole VEEK		
		Married		Place	
9	M	**Helmer LEVERSON**			
		Born	1874	Place	Jackson Co., MN
		Chris'd		Place	
		Died	Aft 1913	Place	
		Buried		Place	
		Spouse	Myrtle NEYGANDT		
		Married		Place	

Notes

HUSBAND - Herbrand (Herbert) LEVERSON

BIRTH/CHRISTENING: MicroFiche Parish Register Buskerud 0123841 Nes 8 1823-24 Vesterheim Genealogical Center & LDS FHLC. Witnesses:"Siver Aulthon, Erik Aarigaarden, Levor, Ole [father's brothers],Gunaar Ingeborg O___". Named for father's father [Death record gives birth date different from parish record (that date 1 Jan 1831); death record accepted as more accurate.]

He is recorded p. 229 in NORWEGIAN IMMIGRANTS TO THE UNITED STATES, VOL.I, author Gerhard Naeseth, p.229, Ref. No. 848, as Herbrand Levorsen Mili [Herbrand], b. Feb. 28, 1830.

He sailed May 1843 from Port of Drammen, Norway on ship Johanna at age 12 with his family;arrived in New York City in July 1843 (Doc:Father's Intent to Naturalize certificate. Copy in file). The Captain's name was L. Mansing; the passenger list is detailed in A CHRONICLE OF OLD MUSKEGO, pp. 227-232. [Also confirmed by G.Naeseth Ref # 223) He settled with his family in Spring Valley, farming there throughout his young adulthood, buying & selling land.

Confirmation: Luther Valley Church Member Index (Orig.in church office titled " Kirke Bog for Den Norsk Lutherske Meninghed ved Rock Pramer 1846-1856) # 690 as Herbrand Levorsen Mylie, Ungkar(Bachelor) when confirmed 19 Nov 1848

Note Herbrand's residence at time of wedding was Christiana Township. Kari & Herbrand lived in Dane County, probably with her parents, until their first baby, Levor, was born in Jan 1855. They then moved back to Spring Valley, Rock County, and lived there until about 1862. From then until about 1864-65 they lived in Deerfield, Dane County, Wisconsin, then moved to Mower County, Minnesota, where they lived until about 1873-74. They moved to Kimball Township in Jackson County, before their last child, Helmer, was born there in 1874. In the 1880 Minnesota Census they were living in Petersburg Township, Jackson County. They stayed in Jackson County for the remainder of their lives. According to his death certificate, he was living in Kimball Township at the time of his death.In addition to the documentation in land records, this chronology also corresponds to the 1850 Wisconsin and the 1860 and 1870 Minnesota censuses. (See file)

Notes

HUSBAND - Herbrand (Herbert) LEVERSON (Continued)

Land & Property: 1855 Deed Book Z, p 265, Rock County Court House is Quit Claim Deed dated 1855, for the sum of $1806, specifies released by his mother and siblings and conveys to him full title of land in Spring Valley Township which is described as " the SouthWest quarter. of the SouthEast quarter of Section 25 in Township 2 North of range 10 E, also the SouthWest quarter of the North West quarter of Section 30 in Township 2 North of range 11, the total amount of land containing 80 acres & 13/100ths. The document is signed with LS{Locum sigili-the legal seal for illiterate signers] and the marks of each family member. (Copy of entire document in file).

A later Warranty Deed (Deed Book 45, p 452) was executed 8 March 1860, and is another conveyance by the siblings of Herbrand,along with their spouses, which repeats and amplifies the amount of land they sold to him but is otherwise verymuch a repetion of the above. The additional land was: South half of NorthWest quarter of Section 30 in Township #2 North of Range 11 East. The sum of money isthe same as in the first document.(Copy of this document in file). (Plat map marked with above property in file).

[The last interesting information in this last document is the information it gives about the names of all the spouses of Levor's children, all of which are recorded on their individual Family Group Records.

Herbrand also probably owned land in Deerfield Township,Dane County,Wisconsin, between 1862 and 1864/5 and he definitely owned land in Petersburg and Kimball Townships in Jackson County after 1864 until his death in 1912. [This needs documentation.]

DEATH/BURIAL: Death Records Jackson County Book E page 71 Line 3 "Herbran Leverson. B.1-25-1831 D. 3-25-1912. Kimball Twp. Farmer. Cause of death : "Chronic nephritis (2 yr. duration). Born Norway. Father: Levi Leverson. Mother: Carrie Garness. (Photo of grave in file.)

WIFE - Kari Andersdatter LANDE

BIRTH/CHRISTENING: PR Flesberg,Buskerud MicroFiche 0123959 b.9 1816-1834 FHLC, Salt Lake City Witnesses: Guilbrand Lande og [wife:Signi Ann(?)],Ola Olsen, ...Mogn, Marith [Abegaarden?], Marith Levorsdatter".[Research question-could Guilbrand Lande be Anders Lande'sbrother?]

When she was 17 she emigrated from Norway in 1847 on the ship Tricolor with her parents and brothers. The family immediately migrated to the Koshkonong Settlement in Wisconsin.[Source:Gerard Naeseth, Genealogist Vesterheim Genealogical Center, U Wis.,Madison,Wis.. Vol. 3 of his book should provide more details about family when published] Father owned farm in Christiana Township. She grew up there and was married there.

1850 Wisconsin Census Christiana Twp.: Not listed with her family, could not find her anywhere in the Township. Needs more research

Family Group Record

Husband **Herbrand (Herbert) LEVERSON**

Wife **Kari Andersdatter LANDE**

Notes

WIFE 1 - Kari Andersdatter LANDE (Continued)

DEATH: Jackson County Death Records,Bk E,pg 95,Ln30 "Kari Leverson. B. 10-3-1830. D. 1-2-1913. Age 83-2-0. "Old age complicated by bowel obstruction". B. Norway. Res. Kimball Twp. Parents: Anders Lande & Andrine Lande."

Obituary: Jackson Count Republic Jan. 10, 1913. "Mrs. Kari Leverson died at the home of her son Charley in Belmont
Township on Jan.2, 1913, at 7 o'clock in the morning, from old age. Mrs. Kari Leverson was born in Norway and at the age of 18 years she immigrated to America with her father and mother and settled in Wisconsin. In 1855 she was united in marriage to Herbert Leverson and still remained in Wisconsin for six years. From there they moved to Mower County, Minnesota, living there 14 years, after which they moved to Jackson County and settled in Kimball Township. Here they took up a quarter section of land on preemption where she spent her last years. Five boys and four girls were born to them of whom all are living except one boy who died about nine years ago. [Austin was the boy who died.] Mrs. Leverson has always been a woman of good character and will be missed by all who knew her. She was laid to rest in the Christiana Cemetery where a large number of friends gathered to take the last look of a good and honored woman".

"The funeral services were held Saturday January 4th from the Christiania Church by Rev. Holm. All the children were present at the funeral: Helmer Leverson of Kasota, Minn., Lenie [Levi] Leverson of Sanborn, Ia., Mrs. Tillie Veek and Mrs. Helen Logan of Beloit, Wis., Mrs.Tom Laingen [Julia] of Odin, Minn., Mr. and Mrs. Ole [Clara] Mikkelsen of Alpha, Minn., and Albert and Charles, living on their farms in Belmont and Kimball Townships."

Burial was in Bethany Cemetery behind the church in Christiana Township, where her son Austin Bernard had been buried earlier,and where she was later joined by her husband. [See file for photos]

CHILD 1 - Levor (Levi) LEVERSON

BIRTH/CHRISTENING: Parish Register East Koshkonong Church (Letter from church sec'y. dated 7-9-91 in file which documents both birth and christening dates). Parents were most likely living with mother's parents when he was born only 2&1/2 months after their marriage. Later he moved with his parents to Spring valley, Rock County.

He was christened Levor Herbrandsen. Named for father's father. He used the name Levi throughout his life.

He lived in Sanborn, Iowa, where he was a blacksmith. He never married. A niece, Ruth Leverson Harder, remembers his frequent visits to Odin, Minnesota [a tiny village about 60 miles from Jackson] in her childhood. She says he was a favorite uncle because he was nice and always brought her presents.

He attended his mother's funeral in Jackson in 1913; he was erroneously listed in her obituary as " Lenie Leverson of Sanborn, Iowa".

DEath; He died in Sanborn, and his body was brought to Odin for his funeral.

Family Group Record

Husband **Herbrand (Herbert) LEVERSON**

Wife **Kari Andersdatter LANDE**

Notes

CHILD 1 - Levor (Levi) LEVERSON (Continued)

RKF (14 yrs old at the time)remembers attending his funeral in a church with only the basement built & roofed over. [The little village of Odin was struggling to build a church, but had at that point run out of funds. The town was so small and so heavily populated by the Leverson family that family members had to be dispatched from the service at noon to go ring the town's bell].

Burial was in Bethany Cemetery, Christiania Township, Jackson County, Minnesota, next to his brother Herbrand & several other family members. (See file for photos)

CHILD 2 - Clara Andrea LEVERSON

BIRTH/CHRISTENING: dOCUMENTED BY Original Parish Record AT THE Luther Valley Church,Plymouth Township, Rock County, Wisconsin. Christened Karen Andrea Herbrandsdatter, she was probably named for her mother. (Always called Clara, including early census records). Witnesses at her christening: Asle Olsen, Knud Knudsen, Ingeborg Levorsdtr., Oline Pedersdtr. Gaarder

MARRIAGE: Date tentative--based on her absence from family in 1885, documented by Census for Kimball Twp., Jackson Co.

After marriage lived entire life in Alpha, Minnesota

DEATH/BURIAL: Dates taken from tombstone

CHILD 3 - Henry Albert LEVERSON

BIRTH: He was born in Spring Valley, Wisconsin, June 13,1858.

CHRISTENING: Christened Albert Henry Herbrandsen at Luther Valley Church, Plymouth Township, Rock County, Wisconsin. [The original Parish Records are at Luther Vallley Church] Witnesses: Hans P. Gaarder, Knud R. Tor L or S or ?--onslegaard, Oline P. Gaarder, Kari Gaarder. Early in life he changed the order of his names and was always called Albert. He also changed his last name to Leverson.

His family probably moved from Wisconsin to Mower Co. MN, in 1871, then to Kimball Township, Jackson County, about 1875. He was a farmer all his life. His obituary states:"Coming to Jackson County with his parents in the early years of his youth, Mr. Leverson had spent practically his entire life in the Jackson vicinity, where he was well and favorably known in the circles of a large acquaintance."

MARRIAGE: He was united in marriage in Jackson County to Sarah (Sigrid) Huseby, who preceded him in death July 2, 1910. They were the parents of 11 children, ten of whom survived through adulthood.

His first farm in Jackson Co. was in Kimball Twp., where the 1885 MN Census shows his family as follows: Albert Leverson, age 24,b. Wis., parents both b. Norway; Sarah Leverson, age 27, b. Norway; Helen Leverson, age 2, b. Minn.;

Notes

CHILD 3 - Henry Albert LEVERSON (Continued)

George Leverson, age 10/12, b. Minn. (His parents, Herbrand and Kari (Lande) Leverson and 7 siblings were living in the next household.)

One land transaction in the office of the Register of Deeds, Jackson, shows a land purchase 16 Nov 1895 when, for the sum of Twelve hundred dollars he bought from Herman L. Strom & Emma G. Strom, his wife, the following parcel of land: The South half(1/2) of the SouthEast quarter (1/4) of Section No. Eleven (11) in Township No. One hundred-three (103) North of Range No. Thirty-five (35), West of the 5th P.M. containing Eighty (80) acres by(?) the same more or less. [An interesting footnote to this purchase is that the County Auditor who recorded the deed was Wm. V. King, RKF's paternal great- grandfather]

He owned many fine horses and reportedly placed some of them in shows and races.

He moved his family to Douglas Cunty in northern Minnesota from about 1902-03 to 1905-06 (where Hazel, the youngest child was born), then returned to Jackson and farmed in Belmont Twp. until 1911,the year after his wife's death. He then sold his farm and moved into Jackson with his children and his aged mother-in-law, Sigrid Gunnarsdatter Husby.

He lived in retirement from then on until he died 40 years later. For several years he owned a home in Jackson, where his daughters kept house for him & took in boarders, mostly school teachers. Eventually he sold his home and from then on he lived in turn with each of his several married daughters for periods of 6 months or so. He was financiaaly independent, traveling around the country in a Model A Ford. He was difficult, stubborn, self-centered and demanding and his moves were usually precipitated by a quarrel with the daughter with whom he had been living, wheupon he would move on to the next home.

His Obituary in the JACKSON COUNTY PILOT under theheadline "Death Summons Albert Leverson At Ripe Old Age". Reads as follows: "Albert H. Leverson, 92, who held the distinction of being one of Jackson County's oldest and earliest pioneers, died Sunday at the Halloran Hospital where he had been a patient only since Friday."

"During Mr. Leverson's long life in Jackson county he farmed in the earlier years of his life, but in later years he had resided in Jackson and though advanced in years he found much pleasure in the company of his many friends.

"Funeral services were held from the Krause Funeral Home Wednesday, May 28, and were conducted by Rev. T.G. Torvik of Our Savior's Lutheran Church at 2:30 o'clock with burial amid many floral tributes in the Hauges Cemetary in Belmont Township." (Copy of obituary & photos in file)

CHILD 4 - Julia LEVERSON

BIRTH/CHRISTENING: Age determined by 1885 Minnesota Census No christening record for the years 1861-63 at Luther Valley Church or in vital statistics for Rock County. Land records show parents living in Deerfield in 1864, so presumption is they moved there some time between 1859 (Albert's birth doc. in

Husband **Herbrand (Herbert) LEVERSON**

Wife **Kari Andersdatter LANDE**

Notes

CHILD 4 - Julia LEVERSON (Continued)

Spring Valley) & her birth in 1862.

Lived all her life in Odin, Minnesota

Death date from tombstone

CHILD 5 - Carl Gustav (Charles) LEVERSON

Source: His daughter Ruth Leverson Harder, his tombstone

1801 Minn. Census gives his age as 21, birthplace Wis.Listed in Jackson County birth records as C.G. Leavorson,born Wisconsin, father of Floyd Gordon & Laura F. Luther Valley Church records searched 6-91, no record of him between 1863-4 Land records show parents living in Deerfield in 1864, so presume that is where he was born. [Needs further documentation]

Lived in Odin,Minnesota, population not more than a couple hundred, almost all Leverson relatives. (Odin's population in 1992 was 667, proudly announced on a sign just outside the town limits]. Farmed for many years,then owned & operated a hardware store in Odin.

According to his daughter, he was very fond of horses and owned many fine ones. He usually was the one who drove for funerals, weddings, all special events in the area.

CHILD 6 - Austin Bernard LEVERSON

Doc: Tombstone, family records Birth records in Mower County do not exist before 1870,so no confiration is possible unless his christening record can be located at some future date. But he was almost certainly born in Mower County, as records show this is where his parents were living at the time of his birth.

Death/Burial: His lovely small tombstone (see photo in file), next to his parents, is inscribed with his birth & death dates and the words, in English " Peaceful be thy silent slumber"

CHILD 7 - Helen LEVERSON

Age determined by 1885 Minnesota Census. Lived in Beloit, Wisconsin.

Attended her mother's funeral in 1913

CHILD 8 - Tilda (Tillie) LEVERSON

Age determined by 1885 Minnesota Census (Name given as Tilda--that may have been her proper name)

Lived in Beloit, Wisconsin

Attended her mother's funeral in 1913

CHILD 9 - Helmer LEVERSON

Listed in Jackson Co. birth records as Helmer Leavorson, Laborer, age 28, father of Curtis Ellsworth Leavorson. Lived

Family Group Record

Husband	**Herbrand (Herbert) LEVERSON**
Wife	**Kari Andersdatter LANDE**

Notes

CHILD 9 - Helmer LEVERSON (Continued)
later on in Kasota, Minnesota.

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-875

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HUSBAND Guttorm (Bostrud) OLSEN-3153
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BORN:   20 Apr 1829        PLACE: Engen,,,Norway
CHR.:                      PLACE:
DIED:    5 Jul 1870        PLACE: Udolpho Twp,Mower Co,WI
BUR.:                      PLACE:
MARR:   10 Jun 1851        PLACE: LuthParsonage,Plymouth Twp,Rock Co,WI
FATHER:
MOTHER:
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WIFE    Aase (Elizabeth) LEVORSDATTER-3052
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BORN:      Mar 1829        PLACE: Mylie,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
CHR.:   23 May 1829        PLACE: Parish Church,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
DIED:    7 Nov 1882        PLACE: PleasantValleyTw,Mower Co,MN
BUR.:                      PLACE: ,Mower Co,MN
FATHER: Levor HERBRANDSEN-155                                          PARENTS' MRIN: 32
MOTHER: Guro CHRISTIANSDATTER-156
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CHILDREN
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 1. NAME: Aase (Betsey) OLSEN-3155
---- BORN:    Mar 1851        PLACE: ,Rock Co.,WI
 F   CHR.: 12 Mar 1851        PLACE: LutherValleyChch,Plymouth Twp.,Rock Co.,WI
     DIED:                    PLACE:
     BUR.:                    PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Ole S. EVERSON-3832                                       MRIN: 1112
     MARR: 29 Mar 1872        PLACE: SixMileGroveChch,Lyle Twp.,Mower Co.,MN
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 2. NAME: Oline (Lena) OLSEN-3154
---- BORN: 18 Apr 1855        PLACE: Spring Valley,Rock Co.,WI
 F   CHR.: 17 May 1855        PLACE: LutherValleyChch,Plymouth Twp.,Rock Co.,WI
     DIED:                    PLACE:
     BUR.:                    PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Edward EVANSON-3831                                       MRIN: 1113
     MARR: 14 Feb 1874        PLACE: ,Mower Co.,WI
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 3. NAME:
---- BORN:                    PLACE:
     CHR.:                    PLACE:
     DIED:                    PLACE:
     BUR.:                    PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                    PLACE:
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---- BORN:                    PLACE:
     CHR.:                    PLACE:
     DIED:                    PLACE:
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     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                    PLACE:
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HUSBAND Guttorm (Bostrud) OLSEN-3153 Yr of Birth 1829
WIFE Aase (Elizabeth) LEVORSDATTER-3052 Yr of Birth 1829

HUSBAND - Guttorm (Bostrud) OLSEN-3153

Doc: Birth: Date given on marriage license (Vol B 1848-69 p 173 Rock Co)

According to Naeseth, he emigrated from Nes in 1846.

Name on marriage license is Guttorm Olsen Engen, also in ref. by Gerhard Naeseth in NORWEGIAN IMMIGRANTS TO THE UNITED STATES VOL I. All later references just to Olson, so that given as name for purposes of clarity. Need to research assumption that Engen is name of farm in Norway where he was born.

Death: Mower Co. Death Rec. Bk A, p 1, #31. "Gutrom Oleson, M., 42 yr 2 mo., B. Norway, cause: Typhoid Fever, Pl. of death: Udolpho Twp., Farmer, Fa: Ole, b. Norway"

WIFE - Aase (Elizabeth) LEVORSDATTER-3052

Doc: B/Chr: MF 123840 pt2 1823-34 Nes i Hallingdal Buskerud. Parents:"Levord Henrichsen og Guro Christiansdtr. Myhlie". Witnesses:"Margrit ____ Myhlie, Peder Aalthon, Randi, Guro Erdal"

Recorded in NORWEGIAL IMMIGRANTS TO THE UNITED STATES VOL. I, auth. Gerhard Naeseth, p. 229, Ref.# 847, as "Aase Levorsdatter Mili, b. Dec. 19, 1827; Mar. June 10, 1851, Guttorm Olsen Engen, who emig. from Nes in 1846, and whom she is described further." [Research question: MF rec. also gave b. date as 14 Oct 1827; chr. date 19 Dec 1827; same witnesses as above. Did RKF misread the rec., or was there an earlier infant who died before her birth?]

Emigration: Port of Drammen, Norway May 1843, on ship Johanna, age 14, with family (G. Naeseth ref#223/ pass. list)

Confirmation: 19 Nov 1848 entered in Luther Valley Member Index # 695 as Aase Levorsdatter Mylie, Pige [Norwegian for girl]

Named for her father's mother, Aase Levorsdatter Garnaas (RIN #3047). In land record dated 1860 name is given as "Osey", which approximates English phonetic pronunciation of Aase; sometime before 1867, according to references to her in the land records named below, she began to call herself "Elizabeth".

Land & Property: Upon her father's death in 1846 she, along with her 5 siblings & her mother, inherited the property which had been patented to her father. In 1855 her mother, she, & 4 of her siblings quit-claimed the same land to her brother Herbrand Levorsen . (See Herbrand Levorsen FGR# 144 for details)

Marriage: Marriage Reg. Vol B 1848-69 pg 173, Rock Co., Wis. Witnesses: F. Ingebrettsen, Asle Nielsen. Pastor: C.L. Clausen. The marriage took place in the church parsonage, about 1/2 mile up the road from the present church in Plymouth Twp. (the township boundary runs right between the two). The first church was not erected until several years later.

She & her husband moved to Mower Co., Minnesota, sometime before 15 June 1860 according to affadavit signed by Justice of the Peace Enid Bassett

HUSBAND Guttorm (Bostrud) OLSEN-3153 Yr of Birth 1829
WIFE Aase (Elizabeth) LEVORSDATTER-3052 Yr of Birth 1829

Death: Mower Co. Death Rec. Vol.A, p 111, #162. "Oleson,[no first name,age, parents],Female, Wid., Twp. Pleasant Valley, no cause of death.] Lacking any other reference to a woman her name,general age, etc., working theory is this is Aase. Needs further validation.

CHILD 1 - Aase (Betsey) OLSEN-3155

B/Chr: Luther Valley Church Reg. 1846-1856 p 133 #246. Witnesses: Asle Nielsen, Ole Nielsen, Margreth Olsd., Liv Knudsd. (Asle Nielsen & Ole Nielsen may be her grandparents, her father's mother & father)

In keeping with the custom of anglicizing their Norwegian names, working theory is that, like her mother, she changed her name to Elizabeth &/or Betsey. Also, last name spelled Oleson is consistent in later family use.

Marriage: Mower Co. Rec. Office Bk A, p 490. Witnesses: Knud Olson & his wife Minister: O. Hanson, Lutheran Min. Six Mile Grove Ch., Lyle Twp.

CHILD 2 - Oline (Lena) OLSEN-3154

B/Chr: Church reg. 1846-1856 p 147 #33. Witnesses: Asle Nielsen, Niels Olsen, Guri Levorsdtr., Margreth Oldsdtr.

Marriage: Mower Co. Rec. Office, Bk B, p 51. Location of wedding not given. Witnesses: Hellek Hellekson & Christina Pederson. Minister: P.G. Ostlev, Lutheran Minister

Following the trend toward anglicizing names, she apparently used the name "Lena". Also the last name spelled Oleson is consistent with family use

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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-31

HUSBAND Herbrand (Herbert) LEVERSON-144

BORN: 25 Jan 1831 PLACE: Mylie,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
CHR.: 28 Feb 1831 PLACE: Parish Church,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
DIED: 25 Mar 1912 PLACE: Kimball Twp,Jackson Co,MN
BUR.: PLACE: Bethany Cem,Christiania Twp,Jackson Co,MN
MARR: 2 Nov 1854 PLACE: EastKoshkonongCh,Christiania Twp,Dane Co,WI
FATHER: Levor HERBRANDSEN-155 PARENTS' MRIN: 32
MOTHER: Guro CHRISTIANSDATTER-156

WIFE Kari Andersdatter LANDE-145

BORN: 3 Oct 1830 PLACE: Lande,Flesberg,Buskerud,Norway
CHR.: 31 Oct 1830 PLACE: Parish Church,Flesberg,Buskerud,Norway
DIED: 2 Jan 1913 PLACE: Kimball Twp,Jackson Co,MN
BUR.: 4 Jan 1913 PLACE: Bethany Cem,Christiania Twp,Jackson Co,MN
FATHER: Andres Hellekson LANDE-157 PARENTS' MRIN: 33
MOTHER: Beret Gulleksdotter UNDERBERGET-158

CHILDREN

1. NAME: Levor (Levi) LEVERSON-146
---- BORN: 24 Jan 1855 PLACE: Christiana Twp,Dane,WI
M CHR.: 28 May 1855 PLACE: EastKoshkonongCh,Dane,WI
DIED: 12 Oct 1939 PLACE: Sanborn,Osceola,IA
BUR.: PLACE: Bethany Cem,Christiania Twp,Jackson Co,MN
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

2. NAME: Clara Andrea LEVERSON-148
---- BORN: 22 Mar 1857 PLACE: Spring Valley,Rock,WI
F CHR.: 5 Jul 1857 PLACE: LutherValleyChch,Plymouth Twp,Rock Co,WI
DIED: 22 Sep 1935 PLACE: Alpha,Jackson,MN
BUR.: PLACE: Riverside Cem,Jackson,MN
SPOUSE: Ole MIKELSON-552 MRIN: 159
MARR: Abt 1873 PLACE:

3. NAME: Henry Albert LEVERSON-31
---- BORN: 13 Jun 1859 PLACE: Spring Valley,Rock,WI
M CHR.: 26 Jun 1859 PLACE: LutherValleyChch,Plymouth Twp,Rock Co,WI
DIED: 20 May 1951 PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
BUR.: 28 May 1951 PLACE: Hauges Cem,Jackson Co,MN
SPOUSE: Sigrid Gunnarsdatter HUSBY-32 MRIN: 7
MARR: 1 Jun 1882 PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN

4. NAME: Julia LEVERSON-153
---- BORN: 1861 PLACE: Deerfield,Dane,WI
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 1939 PLACE: Odin,Martin,MN
BUR.: PLACE: Zion Luth Cem,Odin,Martin,MN
SPOUSE: Thorsten P. (Tom) LAINGEN-550 MRIN: 158
MARR: Aft 1885 PLACE:

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HUSBAND Herbrand (Herbert) LEVERSON-144                                          Yr of Birth 1831
WIFE    Kari Andersdatter LANDE-145                                              Yr of Birth 1830
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CHILDREN (continued)
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 5. NAME: Carl Gustav (Charles) LEVERSON-151
---- BORN: 10 Oct 1863          PLACE: Deerfield,Dane,WI
 M   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED: 21 May 1934          PLACE: Odin,Martin,MN
     BUR.:                      PLACE: Zion Luth Cem,Odin,Martin,MN
     SPOUSE: Olina Louise (Lena) OLSON-555                                        MRIN: 160
     MARR:  2 Dec 1893          PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
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 6. NAME: Austin Bernard LEVERSON-147
---- BORN:  7 Oct 1866          PLACE: ,,Mower Co,MN
 M   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED: 27 Mar 1905          PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
     BUR.:                      PLACE: Bethany Cem,Christiania Twp,Jackson Co,MN
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                      PLACE:
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 7. NAME: Helen LEVERSON-149
---- BORN:          1869        PLACE: ,Mower Co.,MN
 F   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED: Aft    1913          PLACE: Beloit,Rock,WI
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Knute LOGAN-1228                                                     MRIN: 343
     MARR: Aft    1885          PLACE:
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 8. NAME: Tilda (Tillie) LEVERSON-150
---- BORN:          1872        PLACE: ,Mower Co.,MN
 F   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED: Aft    1913          PLACE: Beloit,Rock,WI
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Ole VEEK-1227                                                        MRIN: 342
     MARR:                      PLACE:
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 9. NAME: Helmer LEVERSON-152
---- BORN:          1874        PLACE: ,Jackson Co.,MN
 M   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED: Aft    1913          PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Myrtle NEYGANDT-2304                                                 MRIN: 653
     MARR:                      PLACE:
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HUSBAND Herbrand (Herbert) LEVERSON-144 Yr of Birth 1831
WIFE Kari Andersdatter LANDE-145 Yr of Birth 1830

HUSBAND - Herbrand (Herbert) LEVERSON-144

Doc: Birth/Chr:MF Parish Register Buskerud 0123841 Nes 8 1823-24 Vesterheim Genealogical Center & LDS FHLC. Witnesses: "Siver Aulthon, Erik Aarigaarden, Levor, Ole [father's brothers],Gunaar Ingeborg O___". Named for father's father ·Death record gives birth date different from parish record (that date 1 Jan 1831); death record accepted as more accurate.

He is recorded p. 229 in NORWEGIAN IMMIGRANTS TO THE UNITED STATES, VOL.I, auth. Gerhard Naeseth, p.229, Ref. No. 848, as Herbrand Levorsen Mili [Herbrand], b. Feb. 28, 1830.

Name: According to custom, named for his father's father. Typical of many Norwegian immigrants, in his early adulthood he began to use surnames and even given names other than his birth name & patronymic. Early civil records, i.e. marriage, census returns & land records list him under many variations of his name. In his father's land records, his church marriage record & in one land record (1858), he is listed as Herbrand Levorsen or Levordsen. But the name he most commonly used in land records in 1854, 1856, 1861, 1864 & 1867 is Abram Lever or Abraham Lever. Some time, probably after he moved to Minnesota, he began to call himself Herbert Leverson, and that's the name he used for the remainder of his life. He & his brothers began to use the name Lever or Leversen, later Leverson, for all their children, male & female alike, & that is the name which has been adopted by all later descendents.

Emigration: May 1843 from Port of Drammen, Norway on ship Johanna at age 12 with family;arrived in New York City in July 1843 (Doc:Father's Intent to Naturalize certificate. Copy in file). The Captain's name was L. Mansing; the passenger list is detailed in A CHRONICLE OF OLD MUSKEGO, pp. 227-232. [Also confirmed by G. Naeseth Ref # 223) He settled with his family in Spring Valley, farming there throughout his young adulthood, buying & selling land.

Confirmation: Luther Valley Church Member Index (Orig.in church office titled " Kirke Bog for Den Norsk Lutherske Meninghed ved Rock Pramer 1846-1856) # 690 as Herbrand Levorsen Mylie, Ungkar (Bachelor) when confirmed 19 Nov 1848

Marriage: Dane Co. Reg. Deeds, Marriage Reg. Vol.#1 June 12, 1852 to April 29, 1858 Page 180 #2. His Father: Levor Herbrandsen. His Mother: Guro Christiansd. His Occupation: Blank. His Residence: Christiana Twp. Dane Co. Birthplace: Norway. Wife's name: Kari Anderson. Her Father: Andreas Helliksen. Her Mother: Berit Gullaksd. Where Married: Christiana Twp. Minister: A.C. Preus (Asst. Pastor East Koshkonong Church 1850-1860. Note this is parish of Kari's parents)

Residence: Note Herbrand's residence at time of wedding was Christiana Twp. Kari & Herbrand lived in Dane Co., probably with her parents, until their first baby, Levor, was born in Jan 1855. They then moved back to Spring Valley, Rock Co., and lived there until about 1862. From then until about 1864-65 they lived in Deerfield, Dane Co., Wis., then moved to Mower Co., Minn., where they lived until about 1873-74. They moved to Kimball Twp. in Jackson Co., Minn. before their last child, Helmer, was born there in 1874. In the 1880 Minn. Census they were living in Petersburg Twp., Jackson Co. They stayed in Jackson Co.

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for the remainder of their lives. According to his death certificate, he was living in Kimball Twp. at the time of his death.In addition to the documentation in land records, this chronology also corresponds to the 1850 Wis. & the 1860 & 1870 Minn. censuses. (See file)

Land & Property: 1855 Deed Book Z, p 265, Rock Co. C.H. is Quit Claim Deed: dated 1855, for the sum of $1806, specifies release by his mother & siblings & conveys to him full title of land in Spring Valley Township which is described as " the SW qtr. of the SE qtr. of Sect.25 in Twp. 2 N of range 10 E, also the SW qtr. of the NW qtr. of Sect.30 in Twp. 2 N of range 11, the total amount of land containing 80 acres & 13/100ths. The document is signed with LS & the marks of each family member.(Copy of entire document in file).

A later Warranty Deed (Deed Book 45, p 452) was executed 8 Mar 1860, and is another conveyance by the siblings of Herbrand, along with their spouses, which repeats and amplifies the amount of land they sold to him but is otherwise very much a repetion of the above. The additional land was: S half of NW qtr. of Sect. 30 in Twp.#2 N of Range 11 E. The sum of money is the same as in the first document. (Copy this document in file). (Plat map marked with above property in file).

[The last interesting information in this last document is the information it gives about the names of all the spouses of Levor's children, all of which are recorded on their individual FGRs.]

Herbrand also probably owned land in Deerfield Twp.,Dane Co., WI,between 1862 & 1864/5 & he definitely owned land in Petersburg & Kimball Townships in Jackson Co. after 1864 until his death in 1912. This needs documentation.

Death/Burial: Death Records Jackson Co Bk E p 71 Ln 3 "Herbran Leverson. B.1-25-1831 D. 3-25-1912. Kimball Twp. Farmer. Cause of death : "Chronic nephritis (2 yr. duration). Born Norway. Father: Levi Leverson. Mother: Carrie Garness. (Photo of grave in file.)

WIFE - Kari Andersdatter LANDE-145

B/CHR: PR Flesberg,Buskerud MF 0123959 b.9 1816-1834 FHLC,Salt Lake City Witnesses: Guilbrand Lande og [wife:Signi Ann(?)], Ola Olsen,...Mogn, Marith [Abegaarden?], Marith Levorsdatter". [Research question-could Guilbrand Lande be Anders Lande's brother?]

Emmigration: 1847 on Tricolor with her parents & brothers to the Koshkonong Settlement in Wisconsin when she was 17. [Source:Gerard Naeseth, Genealogist Vesterheim Genealogical Center, U Wis.,Madison,Wis.. Vol. 3 of his book should provide more details about family when pub.] Father owned farm in Christiana Twp.; she grew up there and was married there.

1850 Wis Census Christiana Twp.: Not listed with her family, could not find her anywhere in the Township. Needs more research

Name: Listed on civil wedding certificate as Kari Anderson. No indication she ever otherwise used that name. Parish record of marriage gives her name as Kari Andersdatter. She is recorded on her son Herbrand's death certificate in Jackson

Co. as "Andrine"--that name was never used anywhere else.

Death: Jackson Co. Death Records,Bk E,pg 95,Ln30 "Kari Leverson. B. 10-3-1830. D. 1-2-1913. Age 83-2-0. "Old age complicated by bowel obstruction". B. Norway. Res. Kimball Twp. Parents: Anders Lande & Andrine Lande."

Obituary: Jackson Count Republic Jan. 10, 1913. "Mrs. Kari Leverson died at the home of her son Charley in Belmont Township on Jan.2, 1913, at 7 o'clock in the morning, from old age. Mrs. Kari Leverson was born in Norway and at the age of 18 years she immigrated to America with her father and mother and settled in Wisconsin. In 1855 she was united in marriage to Herbert Leverson and still remained in Wisconsin for six years. From there they moved to Mower County living there 14 years., after which they moved to Jackson County and settled in Kimball Township. Here they took up a quarter section of land on preemption where she spent her last years. Five boys and four girls were born to them of whom all are living except one boy who died about nine years ago. [Austin was the boy who died.] Mrs. Leverson has always been a woman of good character and will be missed by all who knew her. She was laid to rest in the Christiana Cemetery where a large number of friends gathered to take the last look of a good and honored woman".

"The funeral services were held Saturday January 4th from the Christiania Church by Rev. Holm. All the children were present at the funeral: Helmer Leverson of Kasota, Minn., Lenie [Levi] Leverson of Sanborn, Ia., Mrs. Tillie Veek and Mrs. Helen Logan of Beloit, Wis., Mrs.Tom Laingen [Julia] of Odin, Minn., Mr. and Mrs. Ole [Clara] Mikkelsen of Alpha, Minn., and Albert and Charles, living on their farms in Belmont and Kimball Townships."

Burial was in Bethany Cemetery behind the church in Christiana Township, where her son Austin Bernard had been buried earlier, & where she was later joined by her husband. [See file for photos]

CHILD 1 - Levor (Levi) LEVERSON-146

B/Chr: Parish Rec. East Koshkonong Chch (Letter from church sec'y. dated 7-9-91 in file which documents both birth & christening dates). Parents were most likely living with mother's parents when he was born only 2&1/2 months after their marriage. Later moved with his parents to Spring valley, Rock Co.

Was christened Levor Herbrandsen. Named for father's father. Used name Levi throughout his life.

Lived in Sanborn, Iowa. Was a blacksmith. Never married. A niece, Ruth Leverson Harder, remembers his frequent visits to Odin in her childhood, says he was a favorite uncle because he was nice & always brought her presents.

Attended his mother's funeral in Jackson in 1913. Erroneously listed in her obituary as " Lenie Leverson of Sanborn, Iowa".

He died in Sanborn, and his body was brought to Odin for his funeral. RKF (14 yrs old at the time)remembers attending his funeral in a a church with only the basement built & roofed over. [The little village of Odin was struggling to build a church, but had at that point run out of funds. The town was so small,

& so heavily populated by the Leverson family that family members had to be dispatched from the service at noon to go ring the town's bell].

Burial was in Bethany Cemetery, Christiania Twp., Jackson Co, Minn., next to his brother Herbrand & several other family members. (See file for photos)

CHILD 2 - Clara Andrea LEVERSON-148

B/Chr.: Original Parish Record Luther Valley Church . Christened Karen Andrea Herbrandsdatter, probably named for her mother. (Always called Clara, including early census records). Witnesses at her christening: Asle Olsen, Knud Knudsen, Ingeborg Levorsdtr.[Father's sister], Oline Pedersdtr. Gaarder

Marr.:Date tentative--based on her absence from family in 1885 Census for Kimball Twp., Jackson Co.

Residence: After marriage lived entire life in Alpha, Minn.

Death/Burial: Dates taken from tombstone

CHILD 3 - Henry Albert LEVERSON-31

Doc: Christened Henry Albert Herbrandsen, seems to have always been called Albert, later changed order of names as well as last name. Lived in Jackson Co. from early age. Family probably moved to Mower Co. in 1881, then to Kimball Twp., Jackson Co. about 1875.

B/Chr:Original Par.Rec. Luther Valley Church. Witnesses: Hans P. Gaarder, Knud R. Tor L or S or ?--onslegaard, Oline P. Gaarder, Kari Gaarder

First farm in Jackson Co. was in Kimball Twp., where the 1885 Census shows his family as follows: Albert Leverson, age 24,b. Wis., parents both b. Norway; Sarah Leverson, age 27, b. Norway; Helen Leverson, age 2, b. Minn.; George Leverson, age 10/12, b. Minn.. (His father, mother, & 7 siblings were living in the next household.)

Land Records, Jackson Co. Reg. Deeds office, Book 28, p. 502, Instrument 16723 (Copy in file) shows land purchase 16 Nov 1895 when, for the sum of Twelve hundred dollars he bought from Herman L. Strom & Emma G. Strom, his wife, the following parcel of land: The South half(1/2) of the SouthEast quarter (1/4) of Section No. Eleven (11) in Township No. One hundred-three (103) North of Range No. Thirty-five (35), West of the 5th P.M. containing Eighty (80) acres by(?) the same more or less. [An interesting footnote to this purchase is that the County Auditor who recorded the deed was Wm. V. King, RKF's paternal great-grandfather]

Moved to Douglas Co. in northern Minnesota from about 1902-03 to 1905-06, then returned to Jackson & farmed in Belmont Twp. until 1911,the year after his wife's death, when he sold his farm & moved into Jackson with his children and his aged mother-in-law, Sigrid Gunnarsdatter Huseby. He lived in retirement from then on until he died 40 years later. For several years he owned a home in Jackson, where his daughters kept house for him & took in boarders, mostly school teachers. Eventually he sold his home and from then on he lived in turn with each of his several married daughters for periods of 6 months or so.

Obituary: Jackson County Pilot, May 24, 1951. Headline "Death Summons Albert Leverson At Ripe Old Age". Reads as follows: "Albert H. Leverson, 92, who held the distinction of being one of Jackson County's oldest and earliest pioneers, died Sunday at the Halloran Hospital where he had been a patient only since Friday."

"Coming to Jackson County with his parents in the early years of his youth, Mr. Leverson had spent practically his entire life in the Jackson vicinity, where he was well and favorably known in the circles of a large acquaintance who will deeply regret to learn of his passing."

"Albert H. Leverson was born in Spring Valley, Wisconsin, June 13, 1858, and upon reaching young manhood was united in marriage to Miss Sarah Huseby, who preceded him in death July 2, 1910. To the union of Mr. and Mrs. Leverson eleven children were born, nine of whom survive their parents: Mrs. George Ludvigsen [Helen], Jackson; George Leverson, Minneapolis; Sam Leverson, Sherborn; Christine Leverson, Minneapolis; Helmer Leverson, Los Angeles, California; Mrs. Arthur Reibel [Ann], Minneapolis; Mrs. George King [Rena], Jackson; Mrs. Joseph Budik,[Olga], Redwood Falls, Minn.; and Mrs. Frank Percy [Hazel], Minneapolis".

"During Mr. Leverson's long life in Jackson county he farmed in the earlier years of his life, but in later years he had resided in Jackson and though advanced in years he found much pleasure in the company of his many friends.

"Funeral services were held from the Krause Funeral Home Wednesday, May 28, and were conducted by Rev. T.G. Torvik of Our Savior's Lutheran Church at 2:30 o'clock with burial amid many floral tributes in the Hauges Cemetary in Belmont Township." (Copy of obituary & photos in file)

CHILD 4 - Julia LEVERSON-153

B/Chr: Age det. by 1885 Minn.Census No christening record for years 1861-63 at Luther Valley Church or in vital statistics for Rock Co. Land records show parents living in Deerfield in 1864, so presumption is they moved there some time between 1859 (Albert's birth doc. in Spring Valley) & her birth in 1862.

Lived in Odin, Minn.

Death date from tombstone

CHILD 5 - Carl Gustav (Charles) LEVERSON-151

Source: His daughter Ruth Leverson Harder, his tombstone

1801 Minn. Census gives age as 21, birthplace Wis.Listed in Jackson Co. birth records as C.G. Leavorson,born Wisconsin, father of Floyd Gordon & Laura F. Luther Valley Church records searched 6-91, no record of him between 1863-4 Land records show parents living in Deerfield in 1864, so presume that is where he was born. Needs to be doc.

Lived in Odin,Minn., population not more than a couple hundred, almost all Leverson relatives. (Odin's population in 1992 is 667). Farmed for many

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years, then owned & operated a hardware store in Odin.

According to his daughter, he was very fond of horses and owned many fine ones. He usually was the one who drove for funerals, weddings, all special events in the area.

CHILD 6 - Austin Bernard LEVERSON-147

Doc: Tombstone, family rec. Birth records in Mower Co. do not exist before 1870,so no confiration is possible unless his christening record can be located at some future date. But he was almost certainly born in Mower Co., as records show this is where his parents were living at the time of his birth.

Death/Burial: His lovely small tombstone (see photo in file), next to his parents, is inscribed with his birth & death dates & the words, in English " Peaceful be thy silent slumber"

CHILD 7 - Helen LEVERSON-149

Age det. by 1885 Minn. Census. Lived in Beloit, Wis.

Attended her mother's funeral in 1913

CHILD 8 - Tilda (Tillie) LEVERSON-150

Age det. by 1885 Minn. Census (Name given as Tilda--that may have been proper name)

Lived in Beloit, Wis.

Attended her mother's funeral in 1913

CHILD 9 - Helmer LEVERSON-152

Listed in Jackson Co. birth records as Helmer Leavorson, Laborer, age 28, father of Curtis Ellsworth Leavorson. Lived later on in Kasota, Minn.

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HUSBAND Christian "Christ" LEVORSEN-3053
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BORN:      Oct 1833         PLACE: Mylie,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
CHR.:    6 Nov 1833         PLACE: Parish Church,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
DIED:   Aft    1893         PLACE: Spring Valley,Rock,WI
BUR.:                       PLACE:
MARR:   Abt    1855         PLACE: ,,WI
FATHER: Levor HERBRANDSEN-155                                            PARENTS' MRIN: 32
MOTHER: Guro CHRISTIANSDATTER-156
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WIFE    Ingeborg Karine (Isabelle) FOSSUM-3156
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BORN:   Abt    1837         PLACE: Fossum,Soknedal,,Norway
CHR.:                       PLACE:
DIED:   Bef    1893         PLACE: Spring Valley,Rock,WI
BUR.:                       PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:
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CHILDREN
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 1.  NAME: Gurina (Maria) LEVORSEN-3161
---- BORN:        1861        PLACE: Spring Valley,Rock,WI
 F   CHR.:                    PLACE:
     DIED:                    PLACE:
     BUR.:                    PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                    PLACE:
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 2.  NAME: Levor Julius LEVORSEN-3163
---- BORN: 13 May 1859        PLACE: Spring Valley,Rock,WI
 M   CHR.: 26 Jun 1859        PLACE: LutherValleyChch,Plymouth Twp.,Rock Co.,WI
     DIED: 22 Jul 1862        PLACE: Spring Valley,Rock,WI
     BUR.:    Jul 1862        PLACE: LutherValleyCem.,Plymouth Twp.,Rock Co.,WI
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                    PLACE:
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 3.  NAME: Levor Julius LEVORSEN-3164
---- BORN:  8 Feb 1863        PLACE: Spring Valley,Rock,WI
 M   CHR.:  1 Mar 1863        PLACE: LutherValleyChch,Plymouth Twp,Rock Co,WI
     DIED:                    PLACE:
     BUR.:                    PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                    PLACE:
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 4.  NAME: Clara J. LEVORSEN-4750
---- BORN:        1869        PLACE: Spring Valley,Rock,WI
 F   CHR.:                    PLACE:
     DIED:                    PLACE:
     BUR.:                    PLACE:
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     MARR:                    PLACE:
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HUSBAND Christian "Christ" LEVORSEN-3053 Yr of Birth 1833
WIFE Ingeborg Karine (Isabelle) FOSSUM-3156 Yr of Birth 1837

CHILDREN (continued)

5. NAME: Charles H. LEVORSEN-4751
---- BORN: 1871 PLACE: Spring Valley,Rock,WI
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

6. NAME: Nellie A. LEVORSEN-4752
---- BORN: 1874 PLACE: Spring Valley,Rock,WI
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

HUSBAND Christian "Christ" LEVORSEN-3053 Yr of Birth 1833
WIFE Ingeborg Karine (Isabelle) FOSSUM-3156 Yr of Birth 1837

HUSBAND - Christian "Christ" LEVORSEN-3053

Doc: B/Chr:MF 123840 pt 2 1823-34 Nes i Hallingdal Buskerud. Parents"Levord Herbrandsen Guro Christiansdtr. Mylie". Witnesses" Ingeborg Thora(?) Ole og Fingar Thor. Margrit Braaten"

Recorded in NORWEGIAN IMMIGRANTS TO THE UNITED STATES VOL. I, auth Gerhard Naeseth, p. 229, Ref.#849, as "Christian Levorsen Mili, b. Nov.6, 1832."

Named for mother's father, Christian Levorsen Garnaas (RIN #3078). Sometimes used name "Christ", sometimes in land records "Christ Lever."

Able to sign his name on all known documents (1861-1864-1867-1893--see Herbrand Leverson (FGR# 144) & Levor Herbrandsen (FRG# 155) files for doc.)

Confirmation: Entered in Luther Valley Church Reg. Book I, #738, as Christian Levorsen Mylie, Ungkar (Bachelor) on 12 Apr 1849

Emigration: Port of Drammen, Norway with family, age 10, on ship Johanna (G. Naeseth ref #223./pass. list)

Marriage: Warranty Deed Rock Co. Levorsen et al to H. Levorsen (See H. Levorsen FGR #31). Also christening records of his children

Land & Property: Rock Co. Reg. Deeds Vol. 49 p 177. Property conveyed by warranty deed dated 17 October 1861 & recorded 19 October 1861: S.W 1/4 of the N.W. 1/4 of Section 30 , Town 2, North of Range 11, East, town of Plymouth, Rock Co., Wis.; conveyed by Abraham Levorson to Christian Levorson. (This is part of the same deed listed in Rock Co. originally warranted to Levor Herbrandsen in 1847)

Land Records (Deed Vol 132,p 36 Indenture 13 April 1893)as Widower, signed deed

WIFE - Ingeborg Karine (Isabelle) FOSSUM-3156

Name & marriage to Christian confirmed 1) by birth record her two sons in Luther Valley Church Book, and 2) as Ingeborg Karine Larsen, in Probate Record Levorsen et al to H. Levorson dated 8 Mar 1860, copy in file.

Name: Name on early official dod. is Ingeborg Karine Larsdatter Fossum. Some time after marriage, apparently took name of Isabel or Isabelle, thereby anglicizing her given name. She is referred to as Isabelle in land record dated 17 May 1867. [NOTE: Her sister-in-law, Ingeborg Levorsdatter Christopherson, apparently did the same, as in the same document she is also called Isabel. Most young Norwegian women and men were at this point taking more "American" names]

Death: Occurred some time before land record doc. husband Christian as "widower". (See his FGR #3053). Presume she died in Spring Valley because of numerous land transactions recording their residence before and after her presumed death.

NORWEGIAN TRACKS, # 68, Apr 1993, p 324 has info from Fossum descendants: name

HUSBAND Christian "Christ" LEVORSEN-3053 Yr of Birth 1833
WIFE Ingeborg Karine (Isabelle) FOSSUM-3156 Yr of Birth 1837

farm Fossun in Soknedal, Norway; members that family emmigrated to USA ln 1876 & 1883, settled in Menomonie, WI, b. there in Evergreen Cemetery. (See file)

CHILD 1 - Gurina (Maria) LEVORSEN-3161

Doc: Luther Valley Church Record Book II 1856-1882; 1880 Wis. Census Srring Valley

Filed affadavit dated 27 Jan 1916 Rock Co.(File# 12066, Court Record Z, p 52, Rock Co. Historical Society, Janesville, Wis.) stating she was Gurina Larson, daughter of Christian Levorsen, granddaughter of Levor Herbrandsen, seeking title to land owned first by Levor Herbrandsen, then his six children, then Herbrand Levorsen, then to Christian Levorsen. Copy in file for Herbrand Levorsen.

Note she used last name of Larson, her mother's maiden name. Not clear whether this is that name or name by marriage--needs research

CHILD 2 - Levor Julius LEVORSEN-3163

B/Chr & Death: Luther Valley Church Record Book II 1856-1882

CHILD 3 - Levor Julius LEVORSEN-3164

B/Chr: Luther Valley Church Book #II 1856-1882; 1880 US Census for Spring Valley, Wis.
Mother was just pregnant with him when brother of same name died.

CHILD 4 - Clara J. LEVORSEN-4750

Doc: 1880 US Census for Spring Valley, Wis.

CHILD 5 - Charles H. LEVORSEN-4751

Doc: 1880 US Census for Spring Valley, Wis.

CHILD 6 - Nellie A. LEVORSEN-4752

Doc: 1880 US Census for Spring Valley, Wis.

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29 Apr 1996

HUSBAND Ole EVANSON-3158

BORN: PLACE: Norway
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 19 Sep 1884 PLACE: Janesville
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: Bef 1860 PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

WIFE Guri (Julia) LEVORSDATTER-3157

BORN: 3 Feb 1835 PLACE: Mylie,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
CHR.: 8 Mar 1835 PLACE: ,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
DIED: 3 may 1879 PLACE: ,, ~~#~~ Janesville
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER: Levor HERBRANDSEN-155 PARENTS' MRIN: 32
MOTHER: Guro CHRISTIANSDATTER-156

CHILDREN

1. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

2. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
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3. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
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4. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

HUSBAND	Ole EVANSON-3158	Yr of Birth
WIFE	Guri (Julia) LEVORSDATTER-3157	Yr of Birth 1835

HUSBAND - Ole EVANSON-3158

WIFE - Guri (Julia) LEVORSDATTER-3157

Doc: B/Chr: Birth date from passenger list Johanna when she emigrated Norway with family May 1843 (G. Naeseth ref #223/pass. list)

Christening data parish rec. (MF 0278204 Nes i Hallingdal 1834-63, p.39, #75, Wit: Halvor Groe(?).

Named for mother's mother Guri Knudsdatter Gudbrandsrud (RIN #3079). Some time before 1867, apparently Americanized name to "Julia".

Recorded in NORWEGIAN IMMIGRANTS TO THE UNITED STATES VOL. I, auth. Gerhard Naeseth, p. 229. Ref.#850, as "Guri Levorsdatter Mili, b. Feb. 3, 1835."

Confirmation: Entered in Luther Valley Church Register, Book I, #754, as Guri Levorsdatter Mylie, Pige (Girl), 12 Apr 1849

Marriage: Quit Claim & Warranty Deeds Levorsen et al to H. Levorsen dated 8 Mar 1860, Rock Co.(copies on file Herbrand Levorsen FGR # 31)

Residence: Lived in Rock Co. after marriage at least until mid-1867, when she & her siblings quit-claimed part of their inherited property to their widowed mother for the sum of $1. (Rock Co. Reg.Deeds Vol 67 p 441 Indenture 22 Apr 1867 recorded 17 May 1867)

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HUSBAND Knud CHRISTIANSEN-3160
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BORN:          1831          PLACE: ,,,Norway
CHR.:                        PLACE:
DIED:                        PLACE:
BUR.:                        PLACE:
MARR:   Bef    1860          PLACE: ,,WIs.
FATHER:
MOTHER:
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WIFE    Ingebor (Isabel) LEVORSDATTER-3159
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BORN:                        PLACE: Mylie,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
CHR.:   10 Nov 1838          PLACE: Parish Church,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
DIED:                        PLACE:
BUR.:                        PLACE:
FATHER: Levor HERBRANDSEN-155                                                PARENTS' MRIN: 32
MOTHER: Guro CHRISTIANSDATTER-156
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CHILDREN
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 1.  NAME: Christian CHRISTENSON-3859
---- BORN:          1859          PLACE: ,,MN
 M   CHR.:                        PLACE:
     DIED:                        PLACE:
     BUR.:                        PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                        PLACE:
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 2.  NAME: Levi CHRISTENSON-3860
---- BORN:          1861          PLACE: ,,MN
 M   CHR.:                        PLACE:
     DIED:                        PLACE:
     BUR.:                        PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                        PLACE:
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 3.  NAME: Seward C. CHRISTENSON-3861
---- BORN:          1863          PLACE: ,,MN
 M   CHR.:                        PLACE:
     DIED:                        PLACE:
     BUR.:                        PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                        PLACE:
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 4.  NAME: Eliza CHRISTENSON-3862
---- BORN:          1865          PLACE: ,,MN
 F   CHR.:                        PLACE:
     DIED:                        PLACE:
     BUR.:                        PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                        PLACE:
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HUSBAND Knud CHRISTIANSEN-3160 Yr of Birth 1831
WIFE Ingebor (Isabel) LEVORSDATTER-3159 Yr of Birth

CHILDREN (continued)

5. NAME: Henry C. CHRISTENSON-3863
---- BORN: 1867 PLACE: ,,MN
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

6. NAME: Albert CHRISTENSON-3864
---- BORN: 1869 PLACE: ,,MN
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

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HUSBAND Knud CHRISTIANSEN-3160 Yr of Birth 1831
WIFE Ingebor (Isabel) LEVORSDATTER-3159 Yr of Birth

HUSBAND - Knud CHRISTIANSEN-3160

Doc: Land Records Levor Herbrandsen (See file); 1870 US Census Waseca Co., New Richland Twp, MN: Page 10, Dwelling #69,Family #72: Christenson, Knute, 39, Farmer, B. Norway

WIFE - Ingebor (Isabel) LEVORSDATTER-3159

Doc: B/Chr: Passenger list of ship Johanna when she emigrated with family at age 5 from Norway in May 1843. (G. Naeseth Ref. # 223/Pass list)

Recorded in NORWEGIAN IMMIGRANTS TO THE UNITED STATES VOL I, auth. Gerhard Naeseth, p. 229. Ref.#851, as Ingebor Levorsdatter Mili, b. Nov. 10, 1838.

Named for her paternal great-grandmother, Ingeborg Olsdatter(RIN# 3056). Some time before 1867 adopted the name "Isabel", so named on court record that date (Rock Co.Reg.Deeds Vol 67 p441)

Named in Rock Co. Warranty Deed at time of father's death. Also named in Luther Valley Church First Book 1846-1859 as daughter in father's family when he became member 22 Dec 1845 (#71)

Marriage: Husband listed on Warranty Deed to H.Levorsen dated 8 Mar 1860. [NOTE: Naeseth says she was married to Ole Olsen Onsgaard. Needs research.]

Residence: Living in Waseca Co., Minnesota in 1867 (deposition Justice of the Peace P.G. Bailey that county attached to above named deed).

1870 US Census Waseca Co., New Richland Twp, MN, gives following: Christenson, Ingebor, 36 (?), Keeps house, b. Norway.

Presumed to have died in Minn. pending further research.

CHILD 1 - Christian CHRISTENSON-3859

Doc: 1870 US Census Waseca Co., New Richland Twp, MN, age 11, b. Minnesota

CHILD 2 - Levi CHRISTENSON-3860

Doc: 1870 US Census New Richland Twp, Waseca Co., MN, age 9, b. MN

CHILD 3 - Seward C. CHRISTENSON-3861

Doc: 1870 US Census New Richland Twp, Waseca Co, MN, age 7, b. MN

CHILD 4 - Eliza CHRISTENSON-3862

Doc: 1870 US Census New Richland Twp, Waseca Co, MN, age 5, b. MN

CHILD 5 - Henry C. CHRISTENSON-3863

Doc: 1870 US Census New Richland Twp, Waseca Co, MN, age 3, b. MN

CHILD 6 - Albert CHRISTENSON-3864

Doc: 1870 US Census New Richland Twp, Waseca Co, MN, age 1 yr, b. MN

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HUSBAND Knud (Knud Lever) LEVORSEN-3183
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BORN:   14 Oct 1842        PLACE: Mylie,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
CHR.:    6 Nov 1842        PLACE: Parish Church,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
DIED:   Aft    1880        PLACE: ,Spring Valley,Rock,WI
BUR.:                      PLACE:
MARR:   Abt    1875        PLACE:
FATHER: Levor HERBRANDSEN-155                                                               PARENTS' MRIN: 32
MOTHER: Guro CHRISTIANSDATTER-156
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WIFE    Kari (Caroline)-3195
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BORN:          1853        PLACE: ,,,Norway
CHR.:                      PLACE:
DIED:                      PLACE:
BUR.:                      PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:
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CHILDREN
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 1. NAME: Levi LEVER-3196
---- BORN:        1875        PLACE: ,,WIs.
 M   CHR.:                    PLACE:
     DIED:                    PLACE:
     BUR.:                    PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                    PLACE:
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 2. NAME: Julia M. LEVER-3197
---- BORN:        1876        PLACE: ,,WIs.
 F   CHR.:                    PLACE:
     DIED:                    PLACE:
     BUR.:                    PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                    PLACE:
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 3. NAME: Clara LEVER-3198
---- BORN:        1878        PLACE: ,,WIs.
 F   CHR.:                    PLACE:
     DIED:                    PLACE:
     BUR.:                    PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                    PLACE:
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 4. NAME: Thomas LEVER-3199
---- BORN:    Aug 1879        PLACE: ,,WIs.
 M   CHR.:                    PLACE:
     DIED:                    PLACE:
     BUR.:                    PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                    PLACE:
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HUSBAND Knud (Knud Lever) LEVORSEN-3183 Yr of Birth 1842
WIFE Kari (Caroline)-3195 Yr of Birth 1853

HUSBAND - Knud (Knud Lever) LEVORSEN-3183

Doc:B/Chr: G.Naeseth (Ref. 223) lists him as 9 month old baby in May 1843. MF at Vesterheim gave birth date as Oct. 14, 1842; chr. date Nov. 6.

Emigration: Listed on Passenger List of ship Johanna when emigrated from Port of Drammen, Norway, with family in May 1843. (G. Naeseth Ref. # 223)

Recorded in NORWEGIAN IMMIGRANTS TO THE UNITED STATES VOL. I, auth. Gerhard Naeseth, p. 229, Ref.# 852, as "Knud Levorsen Mili, b. Aug.5, 1842, d. Sept. 19, 1865, bur. Luther Valley Luth. Cem.--Nes, Nor., par.rec; 1850, 1860 Wis. cen.; Luther Valley Luth. Cem.; Luther Valley Luth. Ch. par. rec."

NOTE: As above, Gerhard Naeseth believed he died 19 Sept 1865 & is buried in Luther Valley Cemetery. Further research by RKF, including land & census records, led to conclusion that the young man who died that date was another Knud Levorsen, son of Levor Hendricksen (FGR#890), who was probably a 1st cousin of this Knud's father.

1870 Wis. Census Spring Valley Dwelling #4 Fam. #5 : Leverson, Guro, age 72, Keeping house, b. Norway; Canute Levorsen, age 26, Farmer, b. Norway.

Marriage: 1880 Census (below) gives names of wife & family. Marriage date est. by age of oldest child

1880 US Census Wis., Rock Co., Twp. Spring Valley, Vol 24, ED 198, Sheet 13, Line 29, Dwell. # 124 Fam.# 124 : Knud Lever, age 30, Farmer, b. Norway; Caroline Lever, age 27, Keeping house, b. Norway; Levi Lever, age 5, Son, b. Wis.; Julia M. Lever, age 4, Daughter, b. Wis.; Clara Lever, age 2, Daughter, b. Wis., Thomas Lever, age 10/12, Son, b. Wis.; Goro Lever, age 79, Mother, widowed, b. Norway.

WIFE - Kari (Caroline)-3195

B/Chr: 1880 Wis. Census Rock CO. Town Spring Valley Page 13, Dwell.#124, Fam. # 124; age 27, wife of Knud Lever, cannot read or write

Name: Listed in Land Records in 1879 as wife of Knudt Leverson. Listed in 1880 Census (above) as Caroline. (Kari was commonly Anglicized by Norwegian immigrants as Caroline.)

Marriage: Presumed date based on her absence from 1870 Census, ages of children

CHILD 1 - Levi LEVER-3196

B/Chr: 1880 Wis. Census age 5

Named for father's father, Levor Herbrandsen (FGR# 155)

CHILD 2 - Julia M. LEVER-3197

B/Chr: 1880 Wis. Census age 4

Might have been named for father's mother, Guro Christiansdatter (FGR# 156). Julia common Anglicized version of Guri used by Norwegian immigrants

HUSBAND Knud (Knud Lever) LEVORSEN-3183 Yr of Birth 1842
WIFE Kari (Caroline)-3195 Yr of Birth 1853

CHILD 3 - Clara LEVER-3198
B/Chr: 1880 Wis. Census age 2

CHILD 4 - Thomas LEVER-3199
B/Chr: 1880 Wis. Census age 10/12 year

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HUSBAND Hendrick LEVORSEN-3186

BORN: 1839 PLACE: ,,,Norway
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE: ,,,USA
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: 12 Dec 1868 PLACE: ,Rock Co.,Wis.
FATHER: Levor HENDRICKSEN-3184 PARENTS' MRIN: 890
MOTHER: Margareth LEVORSDATTER-3185

WIFE Barbra OLSEN-3193

BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

CHILDREN

1. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

2. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

Children ??

3. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

4. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
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MARR: PLACE:

Phone:

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DOCUMENTATION

HUSBAND Hendrick LEVORSEN-3186 Yr of Birth 1839
WIFE Barbra OLSEN-3193 Yr of Birth

HUSBAND - Hendrick LEVORSEN-3186
B/Chr: 1860 Wis Census

Emigration: From Norway with parents. Needs doc.

Marriage: Rock Co. Reg. Deeds Vol 3 p 382

WIFE - Barbra OLSEN-3193

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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-893

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HUSBAND Tolef LEVORSEN-3187

BORN: 1841 PLACE: ,,,Norway
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE: ,,USA
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: 15 Jul 1862 PLACE: Plymouth Twp.,Rock Co/,Wis.
FATHER: Levor HENDRICKSEN-3184 PARENTS' MRIN: 890
MOTHER: Margareth LEVORSDATTER-3185

WIFE Guro HALVORDSON-3194

BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

CHILDREN

1. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

2. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

Children?

3. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

4. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

Phone:

HUSBAND	Tolef LEVORSEN-3187	Yr of Birth 1841
WIFE	Garo HALVORDSON-3194	Yr of Birth

HUSBAND - Tolef LEVORSEN-3187

B/Chr: 1880 Wis Census

Emigration: Fro Norway as child with parents. Needs doc.

Marriage:Rock Co. Reg. Deeds Vol 2 p 163

WIFE - Garo HALVORDSON-3194

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HUSBAND Henry HENRICHSEN-3200
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BORN:       1828        PLACE: ,,,Norway
CHR.:                   PLACE:
DIED:                   PLACE: ,,,USA  ?
BUR.:                   PLACE:
MARR:  Abt  1844        PLACE: ,,,Norway
FATHER: Henrich HERBRANDSEN-3051                                          PARENTS' MRIN: 886
MOTHER: Margret-3174
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WIFE    Christen-3201
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BORN:       1830        PLACE: ,,,Norway
CHR.:                   PLACE:
DIED:                   PLACE: ,,,USA
BUR.:                   PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:
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CHILDREN
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 1.  NAME: Caroline HENRICHSEN-3202
---- BORN:       1845         PLACE: ,,,Norway
 F   CHR.:                    PLACE:
     DIED:                    PLACE:
     BUR.:                    PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                    PLACE:
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 2.  NAME: Thor HENRICHSEN-3203
---- BORN:       1851         PLACE: ,,Wis.
 M   CHR.:                    PLACE:
     DIED:                    PLACE:
     BUR.:                    PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                    PLACE:
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 3.  NAME: Henrick HENRICHSEN-3204
---- BORN:       1851         PLACE: ,,Wis.
 M   CHR.:                    PLACE:
     DIED:                    PLACE:
     BUR.:                    PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Karen EYECHIASDATTER-3206                                    MRIN: 896
     MARR:  5 Jan 1866        PLACE: LutherValleyChch,Plymouth Twp.,Rock Co.,Wis.
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 4.  NAME: Tolef HENRICHSEN-3205
---- BORN:    Apr 1860        PLACE: Spring Valley,Rock,Wis.
 M   CHR.:                    PLACE:
     DIED:                    PLACE:
     BUR.:                    PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                    PLACE:
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HUSBAND Henry HENRICHSEN-3200 Yr of Birth 1828
WIFE Christen-3201 Yr of Birth 1830

HUSBAND - Henry HENRICHSEN-3200
B/Chr: Age 32 1860 Wis. Census Spring Valley, Rock Co., Wis. P.O. Brodhead June 11 p 400 Dwell.156 Fam 164 1870 Wis Census gives age as 59

Place in this family needs to be doc.

Emigrated after 1845/before 1851 (det. by ages & b.p.of children)

WIFE - Christen-3201
B/Chr: 1860 Census age 30 Christi on 1870 Census, age 46

CHILD 1 - Caroline HENRICHSEN-3202
B/Chr: 1860 Wis Census age 15

CHILD 2 - Thor HENRICHSEN-3203
B/Chr: 1860 Wis Census. Twin of Henrick age 9

CHILD 3 - Henrick HENRICHSEN-3204
B/Chr: 1860 Census Twin of Thor age 9

Marriage: Rock Co. Reg.Deeds Vol 1 1852-1866 p 182. Minister: C.F. Mogelssen

Place in this family needs to be doc.

CHILD 4 - Tolef HENRICHSEN-3205
B/Chr: 1860 Wis Census

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~~Henrick Henrichsen~~
~~+~~
~~Karen Eyechiasdatter~~

Seventh Generation Leverson/
Henrichsen

~~2~~ (Clara) Leverson + Ole Mikkelson
① Karen Andrea
+
Their Children

~~3~~ Henry Albert Leverson
② +
Sigrid Gunnarsdatter Husby

~~4~~ Julia Leverson
③ +
Tom Laingen

~~5~~ Charles G. Leverson
④ +
Lena Louise Olson

~~⑥ Lena Leverson~~
~~+~~
~~Ole Veek~~

~~6~~ Helen Leverson
⑤ +
Knote Logan

~~7~~ Tilda (Tillie) Leverson
⑥ +
Veek

~~8~~ Helmer Leverson
⑦ +
Myrtle Neygandt

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HUSBAND Ole MIKELSON-552

BORN: 1 Dec 1851 PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 6 Dec 1916 PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,Minn.
BUR.: PLACE: Riverside Cem.,Jackson,Minn.
MARR: Abt 1873 PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

WIFE Clara Andrea LEVERSON-148

BORN: 1~~2~~2 Mar 1857 PLACE: Spring Valley,Rock,WI
CHR.: 5 Jul 1857 PLACE: LutherValleyChch,Plymouth Twp.,Rock Co.,WI
DIED: 22 Sep 1935 PLACE: Alpha,Jackson,MN
BUR.: Sep 1935 PLACE: Riverside Cem.,Jackson,MN
FATHER: Herbrand (Herbert) LEVERSON-144 PARENTS' MRIN: 31
MOTHER: Kari Andersdatter LANDE-145

CHILDREN

1. NAME: Henry L. MIKELSON-3140
---- BORN: 21 Nov 1874 PLACE: Alpha,Jackson,MN
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 10 Aug 1957 PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Livia RAKNESS-3800 MRIN: 271
MARR: PLACE:

Not in Jackson Reg

23 Jan 1885
2 Feb 1919

2. NAME: Oscar MIKELSON-554
---- BORN: ~~Abt 1876~~ PLACE: Alpha,Jackson,MN
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Gerda-3137 MRIN: 863
MARR: PLACE:

24 Jan 1891

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3. NAME: Anna MIKELSON-553
---- BORN: 1878 PLACE: Alpha,Jackson,MN
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 1968 PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
BUR.: PLACE: Riverside Cem.,Jackson,MN
SPOUSE: Charles EVERS-1226 MRIN: 341
MARR: PLACE:

Not in Jackson Reg

4. NAME: Carl MIKELSON-1098
---- BORN: 18 Sep 1879 PLACE: Alpha,Jackson,MN
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 23 Mar 1917 PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

Not in Jackson Reg

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HUSBAND Ole MIKELSON-552 Yr of Birth 1851
WIFE Clara Andrea LEVERSON-148 Yr of Birth 1857

CHILDREN (continued)

✓ 5. NAME: Oline (Lena) MIKELSON-989
BORN: 18 Oct 1881 PLACE: Alpha,Jackson,MN
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 30 Dec 1954 PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Frank Masters
MARR: PLACE:

b. 13 Jul 1885
d. 20 Jun 1946

Caroline Jane Mikelson
(died June 24, 1942)

✓ 6. NAME: John MIKELSON-2297
BORN: ~~Abt 1883~~ 6 Nov 1886 PLACE: Alpha,Jackson,MN
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

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7. NAME: Hazel Florence MIKELSON-987
BORN: ~~Abt 1885~~ 29 Sept 1895 PLACE: Alpha,Jackson,MN
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

Belmont Twp.

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8. NAME: Bertha MIKELSON-988
BORN: 7 Mar 1887 PLACE: Alpha,Jackson,MN
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 17 Mar 1895 PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE: Rivers.dd
SPOUSE: Harold M. Anderson
MARR: PLACE:

7 Oct 1899
13 Jan 1921

✓ 9. NAME: Christine MIKELSON-3798
BORN: ~~Abt 1889~~ 9 Dec 1888 PLACE: Alpha,Jackson,MN
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

A 99 28

10. NAME: Dagne H. MIKELSON-3799
BORN: 9 Mar 1893 PLACE: Alpha,Jackson,MN
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 13 May 1977 PLACE: Rivers.dd
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

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HUSBAND Ole MIKELSON-552 Yr of Birth 1851
WIFE Clara Andrea LEVERSON-148 Yr of Birth 1857

HUSBAND - Ole MIKELSON-552

Businessman in Alpha, Minn., most of his life. Birth & death dates taken from grave-stone

WIFE - Clara Andrea LEVERSON-148

B/Chr.: Original Parish Record Luther Valley Church . Christened Karen Andrea Herbrandsdatter, probably named for her mother. (Always called Clara, including early census records). Witnesses at her christening: Asle Olsen, Knud Knudsen, Ingeborg Levorsdtr.(Father's sister), Oline Pedersdtr. Gaarder

Marr.:Date tentative--based on her absence from family in 1885 Census for Kimball Twp., Jackson Co.

Residence: After marriage lived entire life in Alpha, Minn.

Death/Burial: Dates taken from tombstone

CHILD 1 - Henry L. MIKELSON-3140

Source: Family Rec. Ruth Leverson Harder

CHILD 2 - Oscar MIKELSON-554

Source: Betty Ludvigsen Fredricksen & Ruth Leverson Harder

CHILD 3 - Anna MIKELSON-553

This is "Aunt Annie" from RKF childhood. RKF parents lived on second floor of her home in 1950 when RKF was married.

Ruth Leverson Harder (her cousin) thinks she & her husband adopted 3 children: Martha Kruger; Livia Raknes (later married to Henry Mikelson, according to Ruth) & Milton Lee (he married a Jackson woman named Leona & lived in Jackson. They had no children & are buried in Riverside Cemetery)

CHILD 4 - Carl MIKELSON-1098

Source:Family rec. Ruth Leverson Harder

CHILD 5 - Oline (Lena) MIKELSON-989

Source:Family Rec. Ruth Leverson Harder

CHILD 6 - John MIKELSON-2297

Source: Betty Ludvigsen Fredricksen & Ruth Leverson Harder

CHILD 7 - Hazel MIKELSON-987

Source: Family Rec. Ruth Leverson Harder

CHILD 8 - Bertha MIKELSON-988

Source Family Rec. Ruth Leverson Harder

CHILD 9 - Christine MIKELSON-3798

Source: Family Rec. Ruth Leverson Harder

CHILD 10 - Dagne H. MIKELSON-3799

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HUSBAND	Ole MIKELSON-552	Yr of Birth 1851
WIFE	Clara Andrea LEVERSON-148	Yr of Birth 1857

Source: Family Rec. Ruth Leverson Harder

~~Fourth~~ ~~Third~~ Seventh
~~Third~~ Leverson Generation

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Albert Henry Leverson

&

Sigrid Husehy

&

Their Descendants

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HUSBAND Henry Albert LEVERSON-31
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BORN:   13 Jun 1859         PLACE: Spring Valley,Rock,WI
CHR.:   26 Jun 1859         PLACE: LutherValleyChch,Plymouth Twp.,Rock Co.,WI
DIED:   20 May 1951         PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
BUR.:   28 May 1951         PLACE: Hauges Cem,Jackson Co.,MN
MARR:    1 Jun 1882         PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
FATHER: Herbrand (Herbert) LEVERSON-144                                    PARENTS' MRIN: 31
MOTHER: Kari Andersdatter LANDE-145
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WIFE    Sigrid Gunnarsdatter HUSBY-32
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BORN:    6 Dec 1857         PLACE: Husby,Stjordal,Nord Trondelag,Norway
CHR.:                       PLACE:
DIED:    2 Jul 1910         PLACE: Belmont Twp.,Jackson Co.,MN
BUR.:    5 Jul 1910         PLACE: HaugeCem BelmTwp,Jackson Co.,MN
FATHER: Gunder Arntsen HUSBY-159                                           PARENTS' MRIN: 34
MOTHER: Sigrid Gunnarsdatter KYLLO-160
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CHILDREN
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 1.  NAME: Helen Grace LEVERSON-33
---- BORN: 23 Jan 1883          PLACE: Belmont Twp.,Jackson Co.,MN
 F   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:  5 Jul 1976          PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
     BUR.:  8 Jul 1976          PLACE: Riverside Cem.,Jackson,MN
     SPOUSE: George Christian LUDVIGSEN-197                                MRIN: 45
     MARR: 29 Dec 1919          PLACE: Estherville,,IA
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 2.  NAME: George Canelius LEVERSON-34
---- BORN:  4 Jul 1885          PLACE: Belmont Twp.,Jackson Co.,MN
 M   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:        1958          PLACE: Minneapolis,Hennepin,MN
     BUR.:                      PLACE: Sunset Mem. Cem.,Minneapolis,MN     has other marriages
     SPOUSE: Bessie Belle BRUCE-565                                        MRIN: 162
     MARR: 14 Mar 1918          PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
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 3.  NAME: Samuel A. LEVERSON-35
---- BORN:  2 Feb 1887          PLACE: Kimball Twp.,Jackson Co.,MN
 M   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED: 10 Nov 1960          PLACE: Sherburn,Martin,MN
     BUR.: 16 Nov 1960          PLACE: Hauges Cem.,Jackson Co.,MN
     SPOUSE: Thora C. R. JENSEN-568                                        MRIN: 163
     MARR: 23 Feb 1916          PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
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 4.  NAME: Christina (Teen) LEVERSON-36
---- BORN:  4 Feb 1889          PLACE: Enterprise Twp.,Jackson Co.,MN
 F   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED: 15 Oct 1952          PLACE: Minneapolis,Hennepin,MN
     BUR.: 18 Oct 1952          PLACE: Sunset Mem. Cem.,Minneapolis,MN
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                      PLACE:
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HUSBAND Henry Albert LEVERSON-31 Yr of Birth 1859
WIFE Sigrid Gunnarsdatter HUSBY-32 Yr of Birth 1857

CHILDREN (continued)

5. NAME: Helmer LEVERSON-37
---- BORN: 22 Dec 1890 PLACE: Enterprise Twp,Jackson Co.,MN
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 13 Feb 1973 PLACE: Los Angeles,Los Angeles,CA
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Lucille KELLY-536 MRIN: 156
MARR: 17 Jul 1921 PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN

6. NAME: Anna Serena LEVERSON-38
---- BORN: 7 Nov 1892 PLACE: Enterprise Twp,Jackson Co.,MN
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 3 Mar 1894 PLACE: Enterprise Twp,Jackson Co.,MN
BUR.: PLACE: Hauges Cem,Belmont Twp,Jackson Co.,MN
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

7. NAME: Anna Otilda (Ann) LEVERSON-39
---- BORN: 2 Jun 1895 PLACE: Belmont Twp,Jackson Co.,MN
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 7 Jan 1981 PLACE: Minneapolis,Hennepin,MN
BUR.: PLACE: Ft Snelling Cem,St. Paul,MN
SPOUSE: Arthur REIBEL-965 MRIN: 264
MARR: 21 Apr 1924 PLACE: Minneapolis,Hennepin,MN

8. NAME: Serena Josephine (Rena) LEVERSON-13
---- BORN: 2 Jun 1895 PLACE: Belmont Twp.,Jackson Co.,MN
F CHR.: 1895 PLACE: Belmont Twp.,Jackson Co.,MN
DIED: 27 Jan 1986 PLACE: Omaha,Douglas,NE
BUR.: 29 Jan 1986 PLACE: Riverside Cem.,Jackson,MN
SPOUSE: Reginald George KING-12 MRIN: 3
MARR: 12 Sep 1920 PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN

9. NAME: Elvin Bernhard LEVERSON-40
---- BORN: 6 Dec 1897 PLACE: Belmont Twp.,Jackson Co.,MN
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 23 Jan 1939 PLACE: ,,MN
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Laura PLAISANCE-1021 MRIN: 165
MARR: PLACE:

10. NAME: Olga Erina LEVERSON-41
---- BORN: 21 Sep 1900 PLACE: Belmont Twp,Jackson Co.,MN
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 16 May 1979 PLACE: Redwood Falls,Redwood,MN
BUR.: PLACE: ,Redwood Falls,MN
SPOUSE: Joseph C. BUDIK D.M.D.-560 MRIN: 161
MARR: 24 Sep 1921 PLACE:

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HUSBAND Henry Albert LEVERSON-31                                                       Yr of Birth 1859
WIFE    Sigrid Gunnarsdatter HUSBY-32                                                  Yr of Birth 1857
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CHILDREN (continued)
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11.  NAME: Hazel Blanche LEVERSON-42
---- BORN:  3 Aug 1904          PLACE: Brandon,Alexandria,MN
 F   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:                                            has other marriages
     SPOUSE: Frank PERCY-413                                                      MRIN: 111
     MARR:  6 Jul 1940          PLACE: Duluth,St. Louis,MN
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HUSBAND - Henry Albert LEVERSON-31

Christened Henry Albert Herbrandsen, seems to have always been called Albert, later changed order of names as well as last name. Lived in Jackson Co. from early age. Family probably moved to Mower Co. in 1881, then to Kimball Twp., Jackson Co. about 1875.

B/Chr:Original Par.Rec. Luther Valley Church. Witnesses: Hans P. Gaarder, Knud R. Tor L or S or ?--onslegaard, Oline P. Gaarder, Kari Gaarder

First farm in Jackson Co. was in Kimball Twp., where the 1885 Census shows his family as follows: Albert Leverson, age 24,b. Wis., parents both b. Norway; Sarah Leverson, age 27, b. Norway; Helen Leverson, age 2, b. Minn.; George Leverson, age 10/12, b. Minn.. (His father, mother, & 7 siblings were living in the next household.)

Land Records, Jackson Co. Reg. Deeds office, Book 28, p. 502, Instrument 16723 (Copy in file) shows land purchase 16 Nov 1895 when, for the sum of Twelve hundred dollars he bought from Herman L. Strom & Emma G. Strom, his wife, the following parcel of land: The South half(1/2) of the SouthEast quarter (1/4) of Section No. Eleven (11) in Township No. One hundred-three (103) North of Range No. Thirty-five (35), West of the 5th P.M. containing Eighty (80) acres by(?) the same more or less. [An interesting footnote to this purchase is that the County Auditor who recorded the deed was Wm. V. King, RKF's paternal great-grandfather]

Moved to Douglas Co. in northern Minnesota from about 1902-03 to 1905-06, then returned to Jackson & farmed in Belmont Twp. until 1911 (the year after Sigrid's death when he sold his farm & moved into Jackson with his children and his aged mother-in-law, Sigrid Gunnarsdatter . Lived in retirement from then on until he died 40 years later. For several years owned a home in Jackson, & his daughters kept house for him & took in boarders, mostly school teachers. Eventually he sold his home and from then on he lived in turn with each of his several married daughters for periods of 6 months or so.

Obituary: Jackson County Pilot, May 24, 1951. Headline "Death Summons Albert Leverson At Ripe Old Age". Reads as follows: "A;bert H. Leverson, 92, who held the distinction of being one of Jackson County's oldest and earliest pioneers, died Sunday at the Halloran Hospital where he had been a patient only since Friday."

"Coming to Jackson County with his parents in the early years of his youth, Mr. Leverson had spent practically his entire life in the Jackson vicinity, where he was well and favorably known in the circles of a large acquaintance who will deeply regret to learn of his passing."

"Albert H. Leverson was born in Spring Valley, Wisconsin, June 13, 1858, and upon reaching young manhood was united in marriage to Miss Sarah Huseby, who preceded him in death July 2, 1910.\\To the union of Mr. and Mrs. Leverson eleven children were born, nine of whom survive their parents: Mrs. George Ludvigsen (Helen), Jackson; George Leverson, Minneapolis; Sam Leverson, Sherborn; Christine Leverson, Minneapolis; Helmer Leverson, Los Angeles, California; Mrs. Arthur Reibel (Ann), Minneapolis; Mrs. George King (Rena), Jackson; Mrs. Joseph Budik,(Olga), Redwood Falls, Minn.; and Mrs. Frank Percy

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(Hazel), Minneapolis".

"During Mr. Leverson's long life in Jackson county he farmed in the earlier years of his life, but in later years he had resided in Jackson and though advanced in years he found much pleasure in the company of his many friends.

"Funeral services were held from the Krause Funeral Home Wednesday, May 28, and were conducted by Rev. T.G. Torvik of Our Savior's Lutheran Church at 2:30 o'clock with burial amid many floral tributes in the Hauges Cemetary in Belmont Township." (Copy in file)

WIFE - Sigrid Gunnarsdatter HUSBY-32

Marriage registered in Jackson Marriage Register Book A,pg. 295. Witnesses were Hans J. Resve (RIN# 1233), husband of her sister Anne Bergitte Kyllo(RIN# 547) & her uncle,Thrond Thronson (husband of her mother's sister Randi Gunnarsdatter Kyllo,RIN #546)

After her marriage, she kept changing the spelling of her name(or someone did). On the official birth registers of her children in the Jackson County Court House, she is listed as Sarah (with George); Sahry (with Samuel); Sarah again with all the other children until Olga, when it was Siri. From then on she was called Sigri or Sigrid.

She died unexpectedly of a stroke while most of the family was off at a wedding. Elvin, then only 13(and handicapped by the loss of use of one arm due to polio), saddled a horse & rode across much open land to get his father leaving Olga, age 10 & Hazel, age 6, to care for their dying mother.

In June 1990, RKF & JGF, in the company of Palma Olson Christiansen, (daughter of Sigrid's favorite cousin, Olina Ree Olson, a Kyllo kin,who lived nearby & was Sigrid's daily companion) rediscovered the farm outside Jackson where Sigrid lived & died. Palma's recollections of the day of Sigrid's funeral, still vivid after 80 years, are recorded on a tape in the files.

Death/Burial: Jackson Co. Death Reg. Bk D p 7 "52 yr 6 mo 26 days. Arteriosclerosis with fatty degeneration of heart. Signed: L. Sogge,M.D. Fa: Gunder G. Huseby Mo: Sigrid Arntson Buried 7-5-1910"

CHILD 1 - Helen Grace LEVERSON-33

Jackson Birth Register Book A,pg. 66 #20, records her birth as Helene Gurine Herbrandson, daughter of Albert & Sigri Herbrandson.

Lived & worked in Minneapolis for several years. Shared an apartment & worked with her sister Teen in the Couturiere Dept. at Dayton's Store, creating sleeves for fine garments under the supervision of Madame Helen.

Returned home when her mother died, lived with & helped care for her siblings. With Teen, she started a Millinery Dept. above Berg's Store.

Outstanding seamstress & homemaker, in many ways mother to her whole family after her mother's death. Her world was housekeeping, canning, baking, creating masterpieces in quilts, rag rugs, embroidery, many other crafts.Her home was always the place where family celebrations of Christmas,Thanksgiving & other holidays took place. Spry & independent all her life, maintained her

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own home until her death in her 93rd year.

CHILD 2 - George Canelius LEVERSON-34

Jackson Birth Register Book A,pg.73 #4, lists him as George Kanelius Herbrandson, son of Albert & Sigri Herbranson, born 3 July,1884. A change was later handwritten on the same page, noting his name as George Leverson, born July 4, 1885, parents Albert & Sarah Leverson

Marriage to Bessie Bruce was performed by Rev. T.J. Knutson. Attendants were George Ludvigsen & Helen Leverson. (Jackson Marriage Register Book H,pg. 121)

Other marriages:

Naomi-1007
Lelah BUSHEY-1008

CHILD 3 - Samuel A. LEVERSON-35

Jackson Birth Register Book A,pg. 90 #3. Farmed near Jackson (Belmont Twp.??) for many years, then moved to Sherburn, farmed near there rest of life.

CHILD 4 - Christina (Teen) LEVERSON-36

Jackson Birth Register (Book A,pg. 101 #5) lists her as Leverson

Milliner & dressmaker. Moved to Minneapolis in early adulthood with sister Helen, worked at Dayton's Store for Madame Helen, who was in charge of the Couturiere Dept.. She (Teen) worked on blouses, her sister Helen was in charge of sleeves. Both took oil painting lessons & this is when Teen hand painted much of the china now in possession of several family members. Lived in apartment on Clinton Ave. in Minneapolis.

Created & hand stitched many if not most of the dresses her sisters wore. One, the confirmation dress worn by Ann Leverson, was donated by RKF in 1990 to the Jackson Co. Historical Society, along with a copy of the photograph of the class which shows Ann & her twin sister Rena wearing the dresses.

Returned to Jackson after her mother's death in 1910. Together Teen & Helen started a Millinery Shop above Oscar Berg's store on the main street.

Engaged for awhile to marry a Minneapolis man named Jeff Fleming. Marriage was broken off.

Later lived for a number of years in Moorhead, Minn., with sister Hazel.

Later moved to St.Paul, Minn. & was in charge of millinery in a department store. Had an apartment on Marshall Ave. near U of Minn. campus, where her nieces Betty Ludvigsen & RKF frequently visited her.

Much beloved aunt to all her nieces & nephews. Died unexpectedly of a stroke at the age of 63.

CHILD 5 - Helmer LEVERSON-37

Not registered in Jackson Birth Register--probably oversight.

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Met & married his wife in Jackson. No conf. to date.

Auto mechanic in Jackson for many years. Moved to California in 1939 & worked for aircraft industry remainder of life.

CHILD 6 - Anna Serena LEVERSON-38

Source: Tombstone, family rec. Buried beside her parents graves. (See photo in file).

After she died in infancy the twin girls born after her were each given one of her names

Death: Jackson Co. Rec. Bk A p 94

CHILD 7 - Anna Otilda (Ann) LEVERSON-39

Jackson Birth Register Book A,p. 172 #11.

Gave birth to a still born baby, a girl, who is buried in Riverside Cemetery, Jackson, Minn. Her gravestone says "Infant daughter of Arthur & Ann Reibel Apr 5, 1929."

Lived many years in Duluth, Minn., just off Lake Superior, a favorite visitng place for RKF in childhood and as a young adult. Don & Bob King both lived with her & their Uncle Art for several years while attending junior college

Moved to Minneapolis in mid- 1940s, lived there rest of life. Was active in social, church & civic affairs. Excellent cook, avid reader, ardent baseball fan.

Suffered several years before death with Emphysema, finally succumbed

CHILD 8 - Serena Josephine (Rena) LEVERSON-13

Birth recorded in Jackson Birth Register, Book A,pg. 172,#12. One of twins (Anna Otilda RIN #39); always listed after Ann, so probably born second. She was educated through eighth grade in a country school a mile from her farm home. Students were from the four families living on the adjoining farms.Language spoken in school was Norwegian. Her teacher was a member of the Slabaaken family, the mother (later) of Evie Watland. (The last time RKF took Rena back to Jackson,in Nov. 1985, we visited the local nursing home, & Evie's Mother was a patient there, being wheeled around in a wheelchair by her daughter Evie. She She was then just 100 years old & Rena was 90, so there had not been much difference in age when one was the teacher and the other the pupil.)

Marriage recorded in Jackson Marriage Register Book H, pg. 473. Ceremony performed in parish house of Our Savior's Lutheran Church by Rev. T.J.Knutson. Attendants were Ann Leverson(her twin sister) & Everett Salyards (to whom at that time Ann was engaged).

Clerked in a number of Jackson stores before & after marriage. Known & especially esteemed for her homemaking & sewing skills. Subject of book written by her daughter Ruth, titled "My Mom". (The book was published in a private edition by Amanda Wicks Freymann as a birthday gift to her mother.)

Lived in many homes in Jackson---27 in all. Finally had her own home, moved into it Jan. 26, 1954, and lived happily there for the next 19 years. Lived in Jackson all her life until the last 7 years, when failing health & eye sight made it necessary for her to move to Villa Manor, a residential care facility in Omaha, near her son Bob. She maintained an independent living apartment for most of those years, finally moving to a semi-independent apartment there, but she was mentally alert and always able to care for herself until the very end of her life.

She kept house essentially as a Norwegian house-wife, following the strict rules of housekeeping she had learned as a child. She was a prodigious baker of Norwegian delicacies and maintained many of the old traditions, especially at Christmas. She was always the historian and story teller of her family's life and her children & grandchildren were much enriched by the knowledge of their Norwegian heritage which she gave them.

CHILD 9 - Elvin Bernhard LEVERSON-40

Registered in Jackson Birth Register(Book B,p. 10 #19) as Bernhard

Physically impaired by loss of use of arm after polio attack when he was 9.

CHILD 10 - Olga Erina LEVERSON-41

Aunt Helen recorded her birth date in the Jackson County Court House in 1952 Why?? Possible she needed a passport for a trip she made to Cuba & at that point discovered her birth was not recorded

CHILD 11 - Hazel Blanche LEVERSON-42

Only child in her family born in Brandon during brief period when father moved his family & farmed there.

Names Hazel and Blanche both much lused family names, esp. in Kyllo family

Attended Mankato State Teachers College for 2 1/2 years, from 1925 through 1927; attended USC summer of 1936; Macalaster College in 1937.Attended Macphail School of Music two summers. Taught school for 26 years, 3rd grade for 10 years in Morehead, Minn.(1927-1937); 7th & 8th grades in St. Paul for 3 years; 13 years, mainly 3rd grade, in Minneapolis (1956-1968).

Married Frank Percy in Endion Methodist Church in Duluth. Ann (Leverson--her sister) & Art Reibel were their attendants.

Traveled extensively in Europe. Met & traveled in Norway with RKF in summer of 1958, later visited London together with RKF & JGF.

Married Bob Hartmann in Edina Morningside Church. Traveled extensively with him in Europe & Mexico.In 1973 they traveled to Norway & visited the Husby farm.

Frank is buried Sunset Memorial Cemetery, St. Paul, Minn., in the same plot with his first wife

Bob Hartmann is buried at Lakewood Cemetery, Mpls. in family plot with his

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first wife. Hazel will also be buried there.

Hazel lives in a condominium she owns Edina, a suburb of Minneapolis

Other marriages:
6 Apr 1968 Robert HARTMANN-414

Seventh Leverson Generation

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Julia Leverson
&
Tom Laingen
&
Their Children

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HUSBAND Thorsten P. (Tom) LAINGEN-550
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BORN:          1863        PLACE:
CHR.:                      PLACE:
DIED:          1948        PLACE: Odin,Martin,MN
BUR.:                      PLACE: Zion Luth Cem,Odin,Martin,MN
MARR:   Aft    1885        PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:
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WIFE    Julia LEVERSON-153
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BORN:          1861        PLACE: Deerfield,Dane,WI
CHR.:                      PLACE:
DIED:          1939        PLACE: Odin,Martin,MN
BUR.:                      PLACE: Zion Luth Cem,Odin,Martin,MN
FATHER: Herbrand (Herbert) LEVERSON-144                                      PARENTS' MRIN: 31
MOTHER: Kari Andersdatter LANDE-145
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CHILDREN
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 1.  NAME: Palmer T. LAINGEN-551
---- BORN:          1888        PLACE: Odin,Martin,MN
 M   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:          1957        PLACE: Odin,Martin,MN
     BUR.:                      PLACE: Zion Luth Cem,Odin,Martin,MN
     SPOUSE: Amanda-3802                                                     MRIN: 1100
     MARR:                      PLACE:
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 2.  NAME: Elma LAINGEN-3805
---- BORN:  6 May 1894          PLACE: Odin,Martin,MN
 F   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:  1 Aug 1972          PLACE: Odin,Martin,MN
     BUR.:                      PLACE: Zion Luth Cem,Odin,Martin,MN
     SPOUSE: HOWE-3809                                                       MRIN: 1102
     MARR:                      PLACE:
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 3.  NAME: Carl LAINGEN-3806
---- BORN:          1900        PLACE: Odin,Martin,MN
 M   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:          1982        PLACE: Odin,Martin,MN
     BUR.:                      PLACE: Zion Luth Cem,Odin,Martin,MN
     SPOUSE: Alta-3810                                                       MRIN: 1103
     MARR:                      PLACE:
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 4.  NAME: Melvin LAINGEN-3134
---- BORN:          1903        PLACE: Odin,Martin,MN
 M   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:          1973        PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE: Zion Luth Cem,Odin,Martin,MN
     SPOUSE: Emily M.-3804                                                   MRIN: 1101
     MARR:                      PLACE:
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HUSBAND Thorsten P. (Tom) LAINGEN-550                                                                      Yr of Birth 1863
WIFE    Julia LEVERSON-153                                                                                 Yr of Birth 1861
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CHILDREN (continued)
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 5.  NAME: Helmer LAINGEN-3807
---- BORN:                        PLACE: Odin,Martin,MN
 M   CHR.:                        PLACE:
     DIED:                        PLACE:
     BUR.:                        PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                        PLACE:
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 6.  NAME: Hulda LAINGEN-3808
---- BORN:                        PLACE: Odin,Martin,MN
 F   CHR.:                        PLACE:
     DIED:       1991             PLACE: Mankato,Blue Earth,MN
     BUR.:                        PLACE:
     SPOUSE: UMHOFER-3811                                                                              MRIN: 1104
     MARR:                        PLACE:
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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-158
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HUSBAND Thorsten P. (Tom) LAINGEN-550 Yr of Birth 1863
WIFE Julia LEVERSON-153 Yr of Birth 1861

HUSBAND - Thorsten P. (Tom) LAINGEN-550

Source: Family rec., tombstone & Ruth Leverson Harder

First cousin once removed of Bruce Laingen, well-known Foreign Service officer who distinguished himself during the Iranian crisis. Held hostage in the American Embassy throughout the crisis, he was well known nationally & respected for his honesty & courage. He grew up in Odin & RKF always thought of how that childhood was reflected in the values he exemplified during the crisis.

Wrote book, Pub in 92(a)

WIFE - Julia LEVERSON-153

B/Chr: Age det. by 1885 Minn.Census No christening record for years 1861-63 at Luther Valley Church or in vital statistics for Rock Co. Land records show parents living in Deerfield in 1864, so presumption is they moved there some time between 1859 (Albert's birth doc. in Spring Valley) & her birth in 1862.

Lived in Odin, Minn.

Death date from tombstone

CHILD 1 - Palmer T. LAINGEN-551

Source: Tombstone.

Probably named for his uncle, Palmer K. Laingen, who also lived in Odin

CHILD 2 - Elma LAINGEN-3805

Source: Family rec. Ruth Leverson Harder

CHILD 3 - Carl LAINGEN-3806

Source: Family rec. Ruth Leverson Harder

CHILD 4 - Melvin LAINGEN-3134

Source: Tombstone

CHILD 5 - Helmer LAINGEN-3807

Source: Family rec. Ruth Leverson Harder. She says he died in childhood

CHILD 6 - Hulda LAINGEN-3808

Source: Family rec. Ruth Leverson Harder

~~Third~~ Seventh Leverson Generation

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Charles Leverson

&

Lena Louise Olson

&

Their Children

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                                             FAMILY GROUP RECORD-160
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HUSBAND Carl Gustav (Charles) LEVERSON-151
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BORN:   10 Oct 1863          PLACE: Deerfield,Dane,WI
CHR.:                        PLACE:
DIED:   21 May 1934          PLACE: Odin,Martin,MN
BUR.:                        PLACE: Zion Luth Cem,Odin,Martin,MN
MARR:    2 Dec 1893          PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
FATHER: Herbrand (Herbert) LEVERSON-144                                                  PARENTS' MRIN: 31
MOTHER: Kari Andersdatter LANDE-145
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WIFE    Olina Louise (Lena) OLSON-555
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BORN:   17 Jun 1871          PLACE: Skjerve,Haksted,Nord Trondelag,Norway
CHR.:                        PLACE:
DIED:   10 Apr 1954          PLACE: Odin,Martin,MN
BUR.:                        PLACE: Zion Luth Cem,Odin,Martin,MN
FATHER:
MOTHER:
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CHILDREN
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 1.  NAME: Hazel Caroline LEVERSON-558
---- BORN: 12 Oct 1896          PLACE: Kimball Twp.,Jackson Co.,MN
 F   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED: 30 Oct 1987          PLACE: St. James,Watonwan,MN
     BUR.:  3 Nov 1987          PLACE: Zion Luth Cem,Odin,Martin,MN
     SPOUSE: Austin CAPP-2301                                                            MRIN: 652
     MARR:  6 Mar 1944          PLACE:
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 2.  NAME: Milo Louis LEVERSON-3812
---- BORN:  5 May 1898          PLACE: Kimball Twp.,Jackson Co.,MN
 M   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED: 23 Nov 1967          PLACE: St. James,Watonwan,MN
     BUR.:                      PLACE: Lakewood Cem,Minneapolis,Hennepin,MN
     SPOUSE: Berti LANGLAND-3817                                                         MRIN: 1106
     MARR: 21 Jun 1928          PLACE:
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 3.  NAME: Esther Louise LEVERSON-557
---- BORN:  2 Oct 1899          PLACE: Kimball Twp.,Jackson Co.,MN
 F   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED: 14 Nov 1976          PLACE: St. James,Watonwan,MN
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Bill CASSEM-2300                                                            MRIN: 651
     MARR:  6 Mar 1944          PLACE:
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 4.  NAME: Laura Florentine LEVERSON-559
---- BORN:  6 Jan 1901          PLACE: Kimball Twp.,Jackson Co.,MN
 F   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Lloyd EVANS-2298                                                            MRIN: 649
     MARR:                      PLACE:
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HUSBAND Carl Gustav (Charles) LEVERSON-151                                        Yr of Birth 1863
WIFE    Olina Louise (Lena) OLSON-555                                             Yr of Birth 1871
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CHILDREN (continued)
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 5. NAME: Floyd Gordon LEVERSON-556
---- BORN:  7 Mar 1904          PLACE: Kimball Twp.,Jackson Co.,Minn.
 M  CHR.:                       PLACE:
    DIED: 19 Aug 1985           PLACE: Odin,Martin,MN
    BUR.:                       PLACE: Zion Luth Cem,Odin,Martin,MN
    SPOUSE: Hazel V.-3141                                                      MRIN: 864
    MARR:                       PLACE:
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 6. NAME: Glenn Ellsworth LEVERSON-3813
---- BORN: 22 Nov 1905          PLACE: Belmont Twp.,Jackson Co.,MN
 M  CHR.:                       PLACE:
    DIED: 12 May 1908           PLACE: Belmont Twp.,Jackson Co.,MN
    BUR.:                       PLACE: Bethany Cem,Christiania Twp.,Jackson Co.,MN
    SPOUSE:
    MARR:                       PLACE:
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 7. NAME: Ruth Geneva LEVERSON-1261
---- BORN:  7 Mar 1910          PLACE: Belmont Twp.,Jackson Co.,MN
 F  CHR.:                       PLACE:
    DIED:                       PLACE:
    BUR.:                       PLACE:
    SPOUSE: Cornelius C. HARDER-2299                                           MRIN: 650
    MARR: 12 Oct 1931           PLACE: Luth Parsonage,St. James,Watonwan,MN
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HUSBAND Carl Gustav (Charles) LEVERSON-151 Yr of Birth 1863
WIFE Olina Louise (Lena) OLSON-555 Yr of Birth 1871

HUSBAND - Carl Gustav (Charles) LEVERSON-151

Source: His daughter Ruth Leverson Harder, his tombstone

1801 Minn. Census gives age as 21, birthplace Wis.Listed in Jackson Co. birth records as C.G. Leavorson,born Wisconsin, father of Floyd Gordon & Laura F. Luther Valley Church records searched 6-91, no record of him between 1863-4 Land records show parents living in Deerfield in 1864, so presume that is where he was born. Needs to be doc.

Lived in Odin,Minn., population not more than a couple hundred, almost all Leverson relatives. (Odin's population in 1992 is 667). Farmed for many years,then owned & operated a hardware store in Odin.

According to his daughter, he was very fond of horses and owned many fine ones. He usually was the one who drove for funerals, weddings, all special events in the area.

WIFE - Olina Louise (Lena) OLSON-555

Source: Daughter Ruth Leverson Harder

Father was Ole Olsen, son of Martinus Olsen, farmers of Skjerve farm near Trondheim. Grandmother was Louise Kjeldseth.

Christened Olina, as an adult always called "Lena"

Listed in Jackson Co. birth register as Lena Louise Olson,age 39,mother of Ruth, et al, born in Norway

CHILD 1 - Hazel Caroline LEVERSON-558

Source: Betty Ludvigsen Fredricksen & Ruth Leverson Harder

Married twice First husband named Bill Collins-- married 25 Nov 1914, later divorced. No children.

Lived in Scottsdale,Arizona after widowed second time.

CHILD 2 - Milo Louis LEVERSON-3812

Source: Ruth Leverson Harder

Had no children

Worked for Parkman Florists in Minneapolis for 35 years.

CHILD 3 - Esther Louise LEVERSON-557

Source: Ruth Leverson Harder

Lost 3 babies. Taught school. After marriage, farmed near Odin

CHILD 4 - Laura Florentine LEVERSON-559

Birth information: Jackson Birth Register, Book B-page 1134-#24. Name spelled Leavorson

HUSBAND Carl Gustav (Charles) LEVERSON-151 Yr of Birth 1863
WIFE Olina Louise (Lena) OLSON-555 Yr of Birth 1871

Still living in St. James

CHILD 5 - Floyd Gordon LEVERSON-556

Birth information from Jackson Co. Birth Register Book B-pg 115-#86. Name spelled Leavorson.

Always lived in Odin. Owned & operated a hardware store.

CHILD 6 - Glenn Ellsworth LEVERSON-3813

Source: Ruth Leverson Harder; tombstone (See photo in file)

CHILD 7 - Ruth Geneva LEVERSON-1261

Birth information: Jackson Birth Register Book c-page 167-#335. Name by that time spelled as at present--Leverson.

RKF visited & interviewed her in July. 1992 at her home in Odin. Source of much information about all Leversons children of her generation & the following one. She described early life in Odin, including that she had a horse & cutter which she drove across the fields to get to school in winter. She gave information about the Laingen family; that 3 cousin settled in Odin, one of them the father of Bruce Laingen, another the husband of her sister Julia. When Bruce Laingen returned to this country there was a large celebration in Odin to honor him. Ruth has a scrapbook of the whole event.

She recounted how she would go as a child with her parents by horse & buggy to decorate the family graves at Bergen for Memorial Day, a trip that took all day. They must have bumped into the other Leverson families from Jackson doing the same thing!

Family photograph in possession of RKF, shows her as new baby, in addition to other 4 children, sitting on mother's knee--photo returned to Ruth 1992

Seventh
~~Third~~ Leverson Generation

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Helen Leverson (51)
↘
Tom Logan

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-343

28 Jul 1992

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HUSBAND Knute LOGAN-1228
BORN:                   PLACE:
CHR.:                   PLACE:
DIED:                   PLACE:
BUR.:                   PLACE:
MARR:  Aft  1885        PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

WIFE   Helen LEVERSON-149
BORN:        1869       PLACE: ,Mower Co.,MN
CHR.:                   PLACE:
DIED:  Aft  1913        PLACE: Beloit,Rock,WI
BUR.:                   PLACE:
FATHER: Herbrand (Herbert) LEVERSON-144                          PARENTS' MRIN: 31
MOTHER: Kari Andersdatter LANDE-145

CHILDREN

 1.  NAME: Hannah LOGAN-3819
---- BORN:                 PLACE:
 F   CHR.:                 PLACE:
     DIED:      1992       PLACE:
     BUR.:                 PLACE:
     SPOUSE: OLMSTED-3824                                        MRIN: 1109
     MARR:                 PLACE:

 2.  NAME: Hazel LOGAN-3820
---- BORN:                 PLACE:
 F   CHR.:                 PLACE:
     DIED:                 PLACE:
     BUR.:                 PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Harold ANDERSON-3823                                MRIN: 1108
     MARR:                 PLACE:

 3.  NAME: Robert LOGAN-3821
---- BORN:                 PLACE:
 M   CHR.:                 PLACE:
     DIED:                 PLACE:
     BUR.:                 PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                 PLACE:

 4.  NAME: Blanche LOGAN-3822
---- BORN:                 PLACE:
 F   CHR.:                 PLACE:
     DIED:                 PLACE:
     BUR.:                 PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                 PLACE:
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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-343
DOCUMENTATION

HUSBAND Knute LOGAN-1228 Yr of Birth
WIFE Helen LEVERSON-149 Yr of Birth 1869

HUSBAND - Knute LOGAN-1228
Source: Ruth Leverson Harder

WIFE - Helen LEVERSON-149
Age det. by 1885 Minn. Census. Lived in Beloit, Wis.

Attended her mother's funeral in 1913

CHILD 1 - Hannah LOGAN-3819
Source: Ruth Leverson Harder

Lived in Orfordville, Wisconsin

CHILD 2 - Hazel LOGAN-3820
Source: Ruth Leverson Harder

CHILD 3 - Robert LOGAN-3821
Source: Ruth Leverson Harder

CHILD 4 - Blanche LOGAN-3822
Source: Ruth Leverson Harder. Died in childhood

Seventh
~~Third~~ Leverson Generation

(Tilda) Tillie Leverson ~~⑦~~
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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-342

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HUSBAND Ole VEEK-1227

BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

WIFE Tilda (Tillie) LEVERSON-150

BORN: 1872 PLACE: ,Mower Co.,MN
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: Aft 1913 PLACE: Beloit,Rock,WI
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER: Herbrand (Herbert) LEVERSON-144 PARENTS' MRIN: 31
MOTHER: Kari Andersdatter LANDE-145

CHILDREN

1. NAME: Myron VEEK-3826
---- BORN: PLACE:
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

2. NAME: Hiram VEEK-3827
---- BORN: PLACE:
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

3. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
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DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
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MARR: PLACE:

4. NAME:
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MARR: PLACE:

Phone:

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HUSBAND Ole VEEK-1227 Yr of Birth
WIFE Tilda (Tillie) LEVERSON-150 Yr of Birth 1872

HUSBAND - Ole VEEK-1227
Source: Ruth Leverson Harder.

Lived in Wisconsin. Raised tobacco

WIFE - Tilda (Tillie) LEVERSON-150
Age det. by 1885 Minn. Census (Name given as Tilda--that may have been proper name)

Lived in Beloit, Wis.

Attended her mother's funeral in 1913

CHILD 1 - Myron VEEK-3826
Source: Ruth Leverson Harder

CHILD 2 - Hiram VEEK-3827
Source: Ruth Leverson Harder

Seventh Leverson Generation

Helmer Leverson ~~⑧~~ ⑦

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Myrtle Neygundt

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Their Children

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                                   FAMILY GROUP RECORD-653
29 Jul 1992
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HUSBAND Helmer LEVERSON-152
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BORN:         1874         PLACE: ,Jackson Co.,MN
CHR.:                      PLACE:
DIED:   Aft   1913         PLACE:
BUR.:                      PLACE:
MARR:                      PLACE:
FATHER: Herbrand (Herbert) LEVERSON-144                                  PARENTS' MRIN: 31
MOTHER: Kari Andersdatter LANDE-145
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WIFE    Myrtle NEYGANDT-2304
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BORN:         1884         PLACE: ,,Ill.
CHR.:                      PLACE:
DIED:                      PLACE:
BUR.:                      PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:
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CHILDREN
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 1.  NAME: Curtis Ellsworth LEVERSON-2303
---- BORN: 17 Apr 1902        PLACE: Kimball Twp.,Jackson Co.,Minn.
 M   CHR.:                    PLACE:
     DIED:                    PLACE:
     BUR.:                    PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                    PLACE:
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 2.  NAME: Herbert LEVERSON-543
---- BORN:                    PLACE:
 M   CHR.:                    PLACE:
     DIED: Bef    1992        PLACE:
     BUR.:                    PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                    PLACE:
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 3.  NAME: Harry LEVERSON-3828
---- BORN:                    PLACE:
 M   CHR.:                    PLACE:
     DIED: Bef    1992        PLACE:
     BUR.:                    PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                    PLACE:
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 4.  NAME: Berneatha LEVERSON-3829
---- BORN:                    PLACE:
 F   CHR.:                    PLACE:
     DIED:                    PLACE:
     BUR.:                    PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                    PLACE:
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HUSBAND Helmer LEVERSON-152                                                            Yr of Birth 1874
WIFE    Myrtle NEYGANDT-2304                                                           Yr of Birth 1884
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CHILDREN (continued)
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 5. NAME: Dolly LEVERSON-3830
---- BORN:                     PLACE:
 F   CHR.:                     PLACE:
     DIED:                     PLACE:
     BUR.:                     PLACE:
     SPOUSE: WENDELSHAFER-3837                                                  MRIN: 1110
     MARR:                     PLACE:
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 6. NAME: Beulah LEVERSON-3833
---- BORN:                     PLACE:
 F   CHR.:                     PLACE:
     DIED:                     PLACE:
     BUR.:                     PLACE:
     SPOUSE: PIHALE-3838                                                        MRIN: 1111
     MARR:                     PLACE:
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 7. NAME: Marion LEVERSON-3834
---- BORN:                     PLACE:
 F   CHR.:                     PLACE:
     DIED:                     PLACE:
     BUR.:                     PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                     PLACE:
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 8. NAME: Jeanette LEVERSON-3835
---- BORN:                     PLACE:
 F   CHR.:                     PLACE:
     DIED:                     PLACE:
     BUR.:                     PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                     PLACE:
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 9. NAME: Madeline LEVERSON-3836
---- BORN:                     PLACE:
 F   CHR.:                     PLACE:
     DIED:                     PLACE:
     BUR.:                     PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                     PLACE:
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HUSBAND - Helmer LEVERSON-152 Yr of Birth 1874
WIFE Myrtle NEYGANDT-2304 Yr of Birth 1884

HUSBAND - Helmer LEVERSON-152

Listed in Jackson Co. birth records as Helmer Leavorson, Laborer, age 28, father of Curtis Ellsworth Leavorson. Lived later on in Kasota, Minn.

WIFE - Myrtle NEYGANDT-2304

CHILD 1 - Curtis Ellsworth LEVERSON-2303

Jackson Birth Register Book B-page 114-#43. Name spelled Leavorson

CHILD 2 - Herbert LEVERSON-543

Source: Ruth Leverson Harder

Twin of Harry

CHILD 3 - Harry LEVERSON-3828

Source: Ruth Leverson Harder

Twin of Herbert

CHILD 4 - Berneatha LEVERSON-3829

Source: Ruth Leverson Harder.

CHILD 5 - Dolly LEVERSON-3830

Source: Ruth Leverson Harder

CHILD 6 - Beulah LEVERSON-3833

Source: Ruth Leverson Harder

Has 1 adopted daughter. Both she & husband living in Mankato

CHILD 7 - Marion LEVERSON-3834

Source: Ruth Leverson Harder

CHILD 8 - Jeanette LEVERSON-3835

Source: Ruth Leverson Harder

CHILD 9 - Madeline LEVERSON-3836

Source: Ruth Leverson Harder

Lives(d) in Sioux Falls

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-1112

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HUSBAND Ole S. EVERSON-3832

BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: 29 Mar 1872 PLACE: SixMileGroveChch,Lyle Twp.,Mower Co.,MN
FATHER:
MOTHER:

WIFE Aase (Betsey) OLSEN-3155

BORN: Mar 1851 PLACE: ,Rock Co.,WI
CHR.: 12 Mar 1851 PLACE: LutherValleyChch,Plymouth Twp.,Rock Co.,WI
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER: Guttorm OLSEN-3153 PARENTS' MRIN: 875
MOTHER: Aase (Elizabeth) LEVORSDATTER-3052

CHILDREN

1. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

2. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
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SPOUSE:
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DIED: PLACE:
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HUSBAND Ole S. EVERSON-3832 Yr of Birth
WIFE Aase (Betsey) OLSEN-3155 Yr of Birth 1851

HUSBAND - Ole S. EVERSON-3832

Doc: Marriage license Mower Co. rec. Bk A, p 490

WIFE - Aase (Betsey) OLSEN-3155

B/Chr: Luther Valley Church Reg. 1846-1856 p 133 #246. Witnesses: Asle Nielsen, Ole Nielsen, Margreth Olsd., Liv Knudsd. (Asle Nielsen & Ole Nielsen may be her grandparents, her father's mother & father)

In keeping with the custom of anglicizing their Norwegian names, working theory is that, like her mother, she changed her name to Elizabeth &/or Betsey. Also, last name spelled Oleson is consistent in later family use.

Marriage: Mower Co. Rec. Office Bk A, p 490. Witnesses: Knud Olson & his wife
Minister: O. Hanson, Lutheran Min. Six Mile Grove Ch., Lyle Twp.

FAMILY GROUP RECORD [illegible]

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HUSBAND [illegible]

BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR.: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]
FATHER:
MOTHER:

WIFE [illegible]

BORN: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]
DIED: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]
CHR.: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER: [illegible]
MOTHER: [illegible]

CHILDREN

1. NAME:
   BORN: PLACE:
   CHR.: PLACE:
   DIED: PLACE:
   BUR.: PLACE:
   SPOUSE:
   MARR.: PLACE:

2. NAME:
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   MARR.: PLACE:

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   DIED: PLACE:
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   SPOUSE:
   MARR.: PLACE:

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   CHR.: PLACE:
   DIED: PLACE:
   BUR.: PLACE:
   SPOUSE:
   MARR.: PLACE:

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HUSBAND Edward EVANSON-3831
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BORN:              PLACE:
CHR.:              PLACE:
DIED:              PLACE:
BUR.:              PLACE:
MARR:   14 Feb 1874    PLACE: ,Mower Co.,WI
FATHER:
MOTHER:
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WIFE    Oline (Lena) OLSEN-3154
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BORN:   18 Apr 1855    PLACE: Spring Valley,Rock Co.,WI
CHR.:   17 May 1855    PLACE: LutherValleyChch,Plymouth Twp.,Rock Co.,WI
DIED:              PLACE:
BUR.:              PLACE:
                                                                     PARENTS' MRIN: 875
FATHER: Guttorm OLSEN-3153
MOTHER: Aase (Elizabeth) LEVORSDATTER-3052
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CHILDREN
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 1.  NAME:
---- BORN:                PLACE:
     CHR.:                PLACE:
     DIED:                PLACE:
     BUR.:                PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                PLACE:
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 2.  NAME:
---- BORN:                PLACE:
     CHR.:                PLACE:
     DIED:                PLACE:
     BUR.:                PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                PLACE:
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 3.  NAME:
---- BORN:                PLACE:
     CHR.:                PLACE:
     DIED:                PLACE:
     BUR.:                PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                PLACE:
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 4.  NAME:
---- BORN:                PLACE:
     CHR.:                PLACE:
     DIED:                PLACE:
     BUR.:                PLACE:
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HUSBAND Edward EVANSON-3831 Yr of Birth
WIFE Oline (Lena) OLSEN-3154 Yr of Birth 1855

Jorgen V. Bakke × Carrie C

Anton Kittly × Sadie

HUSBAND - Edward EVANSON-3831

Doc: Marriage License Mower Co. Rec. Bk B, p 51

?? Could he be brother of wife's sister's husband

WIFE - Oline (Lena) OLSEN-3154

B/Chr: Church reg. 1846-1856 p 147 #33. Witnesses: Asle Nielsen, Niels Olsen, Guri Levorsdtr., Margreth Oldsdtr.

Marriage: Mower Co. Rec. Office, Bk B, p 51. Location of wedding not given. Witnesses: Hellek Hellekson & Christina Pederson. Minister: P.G. Ostlev, Lutheran Minister

Following the trend toward anglicizing names, she apparently used the name "Lena". Also the last name spelled Oleson is consistent with family use

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                                       FAMILY GROUP RECORD-1325
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HUSBAND Joseph V. BUDIK-4747
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BORN:        1869/1870    PLACE: ,Bohemia
CHR.:                     PLACE:
DIED:                     PLACE:
BUR.:                     PLACE:
MARR:                     PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:
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WIFE    Carrie C.-4748
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BORN:        1876         PLACE: ,Bohemia,,Czechoslovakia
CHR.:                     PLACE:
DIED:                     PLACE:
BUR.:                     PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:
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CHILDREN
======================================================================================================
 1.  NAME: Joseph C. BUDIK D.M.D.-560
---- BORN: 22 Apr 1900          PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
 M   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED: 14 Mar 1977          PLACE: Redwood Falls,Redwood,MN
     BUR.:                      PLACE: ,Redwood Falls,MN
     SPOUSE: Olga Erina LEVERSON-41                                                  MRIN: 161
     MARR: 24 Sep 1921          PLACE:
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 2.  NAME: Frank D. BUDIK-4749
---- BORN:       1906           PLACE: ,,MN
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     DIED:                      PLACE:
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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-1325
DOCUMENTATION

6 Oct 1993

HUSBAND Joseph V. BUDIK-4747 Yr of Birth 1869
WIFE Carrie C.-4748 Yr of Birth 1876

HUSBAND - Joseph V. BUDIK-4747
Doc: 1920 US Census for Jackson, Minn.

Immigrated to USA in 1882; naturalized in 1900

Working in Jackson in 1920 as a salesman in a drug (?) store. Lived on Brown St.

WIFE - Carrie C.-4748
Doc: 1920 US Census for Jackson, Minn.

Immigrated to USA in 1881; naturalized in 1890

CHILD 1 - Joseph C. BUDIK D.M.D.-560
Doc: Family rec., War Service rec., Jackson Pub. Lib.

War Service: Pvt., S.A.T.C. Co., Co. 3, Exposition Barracks; entered service 11 Oct 1918, Mpls, MN; mustered out 20 Dec 1918, Mpls., MN

Went to school in Jackson, he & Olga were classmates. Received D.D.S. from Univ of Minn, practiced dentistry in Redwood Falls. Was also Mayor there for a number of years. In later life was a gentleman farmer.

CHILD 2 - Frank D. BUDIK-4749
Doc: 1920 US Census for Jackson, Minn.

HUSBAND: [illegible]

BORN: 1838 PLACE: ,,[illegible]
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
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MARR: PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

WIFE: [illegible]

BORN: 18[illegible] PLACE: ,,[illegible]
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
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FATHER:
MOTHER:

CHILDREN

1. NAME: [illegible]
BORN: [illegible] PLACE: ,,[illegible]
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible],Los Angeles,CA
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: [illegible] [illegible]
MARR: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible],[illegible],[illegible]

2. NAME: [illegible]
BORN: [illegible] PLACE: ,,[illegible]
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DIED: PLACE:
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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-1324

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HUSBAND John P. KELLY-4744

BORN: 1878 PLACE: ,,MA
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

WIFE Sadie-4745

BORN: 1878 PLACE: ,,WI
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

CHILDREN

1. NAME: Lucille KELLY-536
---- BORN: 5 Jun 1903 PLACE: ,,IA
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: Jan 1993 PLACE: Covina,Los Angeles,CA
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Helmer LEVERSON-37 MRIN: 156
MARR: 17 Jul 1921 PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN

2. NAME: Marjorie KELLY-4746
---- BORN: 1906 PLACE: ,,IA
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-1324
DOCUMENTATION

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HUSBAND John P. KELLY-4744 Yr of Birth 1878
WIFE Sadie-4745 Yr of Birth 1878

HUSBAND - John P. KELLY-4744

Doc: !920 US Census for Jackson, Minn.

Father came from Ireland; mother born in Wisconsin

Occupation: Engine washer in RR shop

WIFE - Sadie-4745

Doc: 1820 US Census for Jackson, MN

Dressmaker, seamstress. Moved to California with her daughter Lucille & family in abt 1940

CHILD 1 - Lucille KELLY-536

Doc: Rena King Birthday Book

Lived in Covina, Calif., near her daughter Marjorie, after her husband'd death

CHILD 2 - Marjorie KELLY-4746

Doc: 1920 US Census for Jackson, Minn.

Fourth ~~Third~~ Generation
Leverson

Eighth Generation

Children of Clara Leverson ②

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Ole Mikkelson

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Their Children

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-271

28 Jul 1992

HUSBAND Henry L. MIKELSON-3140

BORN: 21 Nov 1874 PLACE: Alpha,Jackson,MN
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 10 Aug 1957 PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: PLACE:
FATHER: Ole MIKELSON-552
MOTHER: Clara Andrea LEVERSON-148
PARENTS' MRIN: 159

WIFE Livia RAKNESS-3800

BORN: 23 Jan 1885 PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 2 Feb 1919 PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

CHILDREN

1. NAME: Ora E. MIKELSON-3801
---- BORN: 25 May 1917 PLACE:
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 15 May 1940 PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

2. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
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SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

3. NAME:
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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-271
DOCUMENTATION

HUSBAND Henry L. MIKELSON-3140 Yr of Birth 1874
WIFE Livia RAKNESS-3800 Yr of Birth 1885

HUSBAND - Henry L. MIKELSON-3140
Source: Family Rec. Ruth Leverson Harder

WIFE - Livia RAKNESS-3800
Source: Family Rec. Ruth Leverson Harder.

??--was she also adopted daughter of Anna Mikelson Evers

CHILD 1 - Ora E. MIKELSON-3801
Source: Family Rec. Ruth Leverson Harder. (Not sure these are her parents)

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BORN: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]

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DIED: PLACE:

BUR.: PLACE:

FATHER: [illegible]

MOTHER: [illegible]

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FATHER:

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CHILDREN

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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-863

29 Jul 1992

HUSBAND Oscar MIKELSON-554

BORN: Abt 1876 PLACE: Alpha,Jackson,MN
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: PLACE:
FATHER: Ole MIKELSON-552
PARENTS' MRIN: 159
MOTHER: Clara Andrea LEVERSON-148

WIFE Gerda-3137

BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

CHILDREN

1. NAME: Louis MIKELSON-3138
---- BORN: 1922 PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

2. NAME: Forrest MIKELSON-3139
---- BORN: Abt 1920 PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

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4. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
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SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

Phone:

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-863
DOCUMENTATION

29 Jul 1992

HUSBAND Oscar MIKELSON-554 Yr of Birth 1876
WIFE Gerda-3137 Yr of Birth

HUSBAND - Oscar MIKELSON-554
Source: Betty Ludvigsen Fredricksen & Ruth Leverson Harder

WIFE - Gerda-3137

CHILD 1 - Louis MIKELSON-3138

CHILD 2 - Forrest MIKELSON-3139
Grew up in Jackson. Moved to California after WW II. Married Joan Prevatil of Jackson

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-341

28 Jul 1992

HUSBAND Charles EVERS-1226

BORN: 1878 PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 1947 PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
BUR.: PLACE: Riverside Cem.,Jackson,MN
MARR: PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

WIFE Anna MIKELSON-553

BORN: 1878 PLACE: Alpha,Jackson,MN
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 1968 PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
BUR.: PLACE: Riverside Cem.,Jackson,MN
FATHER: Ole MIKELSON-552 PARENTS' MRIN: 159
MOTHER: Clara Andrea LEVERSON-148

CHILDREN

1. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
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Phone:

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-341
DOCUMENTATION

28 Jul 1992

HUSBAND	Charles EVERS-1226	Yr of Birth 1878
WIFE	Anna MIKELSON-553	Yr of Birth 1878

HUSBAND - Charles EVERS-1226

Source: Lived entire life in Jackson. RKF grew up calling him "Uncle Charlie". He & Annie had no children

According to Ruth Leverson Harder, he came from a family of "about 20 children"

WIFE - Anna MIKELSON-553

This is "Aunt Annie" from RKF childhood. RKF parents lived on second floor of her home in 1950 when RKF was married.

Ruth Leverson Harder (her cousin) thinks she & her husband adopted 3 children: Martha Kruger; Livia Raknes (later married to Henry Mikelson, according to Ruth) & Milton Lee (he married a Jackson woman named Leona & lived in Jackson. They had no children & are buried in Riverside Cemetery)

Eighth Leverson Generation

Children of Albert Leverson ③

+

Sigrid Hushy

+

Their Children

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-45

29 Jul 1992

HUSBAND George Christian LUDVIGSEN-197

BORN: 22 Feb 1896 PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 20 Feb 1967 PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
BUR.: 23 Feb 1967 PLACE: Riverside Cem.,Jackson,MN
MARR: 29 Dec 1919 PLACE: Estherville,,IA
FATHER: Christian LUDVIGSEN-1000 PARENTS' MRIN: 276
MOTHER: Maren ERICKSON-1001

WIFE Helen Grace LEVERSON-33

BORN: 23 Jan 1883 PLACE: Belmont Twp.,Jackson Co.,MN
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 5 Jul 1976 PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
BUR.: 8 Jul 1976 PLACE: Riverside Cem.,Jackson,MN
FATHER: Henry Albert LEVERSON-31 PARENTS' MRIN: 7
MOTHER: Sigrid Gunnarsdatter HUSBY-32

CHILDREN

1. NAME: Betty LUDVIGSEN-194
---- BORN: 22 Jun 1922 PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,Minn.
F CHR.: 1922 PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,Minn.
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Harold FREDRICKSON-193 MRIN: 150
MARR: PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,Minn.

2. NAME: Margaret Sarah LUDVIGSEN-1002
---- BORN: 23 Mar 1925 PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 24 Mar 1925 PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
BUR.: PLACE: Riverside Cem.,Jackson,MN
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

3. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
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HUSBAND George Christian LUDVIGSEN-197 Yr of Birth 1896
WIFE Helen Grace LEVERSON-33 Yr of Birth 1883

HUSBAND - George Christian LUDVIGSEN-197

Source: Family rec., Bio Hist. his grandfather in History of Jackson Co., Vol. I, pp 518-519

His grandparents were George Ludvigsen(b.1829d.1893) & Agnes Jorgenson Ludvigsen (b. 1827 d.1891), who emigrated to the USA from Denmark in 1882. Both died in Jackson. He was a blacksmith.

His father, Christ Ludvigsen, in a partnership with his brothers Nels & Eric opened a blacksmith shop & later invented & patented a calk for horseshoes which eventually resulted in a factory in Jackson employing 7 men, and a product sold in every state & some Canadian provinces, with a branch house in Milwaukee. (Details in History of Jackson Co., see above ref.)

Sgt. Minn. 8th Corps Artillery Branch, served in France in WWI.

Register of Deeds for Jackson County for many years.

WIFE - Helen Grace LEVERSON-33

Jackson Birth Register Book A,pg. 66 #20, records her birth as Helene Gurine Herbrandson, daughter of Albert & Sigri Herbrandson.

Lived & worked in Minneapolis for several years. Shared an apartment & worked with her sister Teen in the Couturiere Dept. at Dayton's Store, creating sleeves for fine garments under the supervision of Madame Helen.

Returned home when her mother died, lived with & helped care for her siblings. With Teen, she started a Millinery Dept. above Berg's Store.

Outstanding seamstress & homemaker, in many ways mother to her whole family after her mother's death. Her world was housekeeping, canning, baking, creating masterpieces in quilts, rag rugs, embroidery, many other crafts.Her home was always the place where family celebrations of Christmas,Thanksgiving & other holidays took place. Spry & independent all her life, maintained her own home until her death in her 93rd year.

CHILD 1 - Betty LUDVIGSEN-194

Christened at Our Savior's Lutheran Church.

Attended Macalester College 3 years, majoring in Medical Technology. Registered Nurse, graduate of Univ Minn School of Nursing 1947.

Married at Our Savior's Lutheran Church. Attendants were Cousins Donald, Robert & Ruth Ellen King.

Lives in Minneapolis. Worked as staff nurse, then was an active volunteer for University Hospitals for many years.

Active with husband in square-dancing

CHILD 2 - Margaret Sarah LUDVIGSEN-1002

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HUSBAND	George Christian LUDVIGSEN-197	Yr of Birth 1896
WIFE	Helen Grace LEVERSON-33	Yr of Birth 1883

Doc: Death Rec. Jackson Co. Lived one day. Buried in plot with her parents.
Information re birth, death & name taken from grave stone

HUSBAND [illegible]

BORN: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible] Twp., Jackson Co. [illegible]
CHR: PLACE:
DIED: [illegible] PLACE: Minneapolis,Hennepin,MN
BUR: PLACE: [illegible] Cem. Minneapolis,MN
MARR: [illegible] PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
FATHER: [illegible]
MOTHER: [illegible]

WIFE [illegible]

BORN: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]
CHR: PLACE:
DIED: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible],Jackson,MN
BUR: PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

CHILDREN

1. NAME: [illegible]
BORN: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible],Jackson,MN
CHR: PLACE:
DIED: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]
BUR: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible] Cem. Minneapolis,Minnesota
SPOUSE: [illegible]
MARR: [illegible] PLACE: St. Paul,Ramsey Co.,Minnesota

2. NAME: [illegible]
BORN: [illegible] PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
CHR: PLACE:
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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-162

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HUSBAND George Canelius LEVERSON-34
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BORN:    4 Jul 1885          PLACE: Belmont Twp.,Jackson Co.,MN
CHR.:                        PLACE:
DIED:          1958          PLACE: Minneapolis,Hennepin,MN
BUR.:                        PLACE: Sunset Mem. Cem.,Minneapolis,MN
MARR:   14 Mar 1918          PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,Minn.                                               has other marriages
FATHER: Henry Albert LEVERSON-31                                                                        PARENTS' MRIN: 7
MOTHER: Sigrid Gunnarsdatter HUSBY-32
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WIFE    Bessie Belle BRUCE-565
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BORN:   21 Mar 1893          PLACE: ,,IA
CHR.:                        PLACE:
DIED:   23 Jun 1922          PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
BUR.:                        PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:
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CHILDREN
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 1.  NAME: Everett LEVERSON-566
---- BORN: 16 Oct 1918          PLACE: Lakefield,Jackson,Minnesota
 M   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED: 19 Oct 1987          PLACE: Bartlesville,,Oklahoma
     BUR.: 23 Oct 1987          PLACE: Mem. Park Cem.,Bartlesville,Oklahoma
     SPOUSE: Marilyn LEDY-964                                                                 MRIN: 263
     MARR: 22 Oct 1949          PLACE: St. Paul,Ramsey Co.,Minnesota
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 2.  NAME: Baby Girl LEVERSON-567
---- BORN: 22 Jun 1922          PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
 F   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-162
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HUSBAND	George Canelius LEVERSON-34	Yr of Birth 1885
WIFE	Bessie Belle BRUCE-565	Yr of Birth 1893

HUSBAND - George Canelius LEVERSON-34

Jackson Birth Register Book A,pg.73 #4, lists him as George Kanelius Herbrandson, son of Albert & Sigri Herbranson, born 3 July,1884. A change was later handwritten on the same page, noting his name as George Leverson, born July 4, 1885, parents Albert & Sarah Leverson

Marriage to Bessie Bruce was performed by Rev. T.J. Knutson. Attendants were George Ludvigsen & Helen Leverson. (Jackson Marriage Register Book H,pg. 121)

Other marriages:

Naomi-1007
Lelah BUSHEY-1008

WIFE - Bessie Belle BRUCE-565

Doc: Death record. Her parents were Harry W. Bruce & Minnie Picness

She died of toxemia after delivering baby daughter (Jackson Co. Death Reg. Book B p.154, line 15 "Puerperal Convulsion Eclampsia Nephritis")

CHILD 1 - Everett LEVERSON-566

B/Chr: Jackson Co. Birth Reg. Book D, p. 159, item 265. Father George, occupation Auto mechanic

Successful businessman; wonderful big (over 6'4") red-haired bear of a man; Master bridge player, played in many tournaments around the country

Died very suddenly of Cancer of the Pancreas.

CHILD 2 - Baby Girl LEVERSON-567

Mother died in childbirth. Adopted by natural aunt, Helen Leverson (Ludvigsen). Listed in these family records as Betty Ludvigsen,RIN #194, married to Harold Fredrickson--MRIN #150

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HUSBAND Samuel A. LEVERSON-35
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BORN:    2 Feb 1887          PLACE: Kimball Twp.,Jackson Co.,MN
CHR.:                        PLACE:
DIED:   10 Nov 1960          PLACE: Sherburn,Martin,MN
BUR.:   16 Nov 1960          PLACE: Hauges Cem.,Jackson Co.,MN
MARR:   23 Feb 1916          PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
FATHER: Henry Albert LEVERSON-31                                                              PARENTS' MRIN: 7
MOTHER: Sigrid Gunnarsdatter HUSBY-32
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WIFE    Thora C. R. JENSEN-568
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BORN:          1895          PLACE:
CHR.:                        PLACE:
DIED:          1980          PLACE: Sherburn,Martin,MN
BUR.:                        PLACE: Hauges Cem.,Jackson Co.,MN
FATHER:
MOTHER:
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CHILDREN
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 1.  NAME: Vernon Samuel LEVERSON-569
---- BORN: 10 Mar 1917          PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
 M   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                      PLACE:
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 2.  NAME: Lucille Esther LEVERSON-570
---- BORN: 21 Sep 1920          PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
 F   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                      PLACE:
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 3.  NAME: Orville Richard LEVERSON-571
---- BORN: 24 Apr 1925          PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
 M   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Luella-1229                                                              MRIN: 344
     MARR:                      PLACE:
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 4.  NAME: Kenneth Gene LEVERSON-572
---- BORN:  4 Feb 1927          PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
 M   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Alice-1230                                                               MRIN: 345
     MARR:                      PLACE:
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HUSBAND Samuel A. LEVERSON-35 Yr of Birth 1887
WIFE Thora C. R. JENSEN-568 Yr of Birth 1895

CHILDREN (continued)

5. NAME: Harold Hilbert "Rusty" LEVERSON-573
---- BORN: 21 Jul 1929 PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Marcia-574 MRIN: 164
MARR: PLACE:

HUSBAND Samuel A. LEVERSON-35 Yr of Birth 1887
WIFE Thora C. R. JENSEN-568 Yr of Birth 1895

HUSBAND - Samuel A. LEVERSON-35

Jackson Birth Register Book A,pg. 90 #3. Farmed near Jackson (Belmont Twp.??) for many years, then moved to Sherburn, farmed near there rest of life.

WIFE - Thora C. R. JENSEN-568

Father was Martin H. Jensen, born 16 Sept 1865, died 13 Oct 1897. Buried Hauges Cemetery. Parents of Danish descent, probably born in Denmark, perhaps Thora, too.

Marriage:Jackson Co. Marriage Reg. Bk G,p. 461. Witnesses: Rena J. Leverson Viggo Jensen (Thora's brother)

CHILD 1 - Vernon Samuel LEVERSON-569

Jackson Birth Register Book d,p. 152,#412 Lives in Columbia Falls, Montana

CHILD 2 - Lucille Esther LEVERSON-570

Jackson Birth Register Book D,p. 178 #35 Married. Lives in Columbia Falls, Montana

CHILD 3 - Orville Richard LEVERSON-571

Jackson Birth Register Book d,p. 235#27 Lives in Kensington, Minn.

CHILD 4 - Kenneth Gene LEVERSON-572

Jackson Birth Register,p. 259#20 Lives in Starbuck, Minn.

CHILD 5 - Harold Hilbert "Rusty" LEVERSON-573

Jackson Birth Register Book D, p. 283#25 Owns & lives on family farm formerly belonging to his father, Sam Leverson

City Administrator & Treasurer in Sherburn for 21 years, retiring in 19__.

Called "Rusty" for his red hair, a prominent Leverson family characteristic

Information about family comes from Christmas letter received by Hazel Hartmann December 1987.

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                              FAMILY GROUP RECORD -- 1[illegible]
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HUSBAND: [illegible] LOFGREEN 57
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BORN:   22 Mar 1899          PLACE: Enterprise Twp,Jackson Co.,MN
CHR.:                        PLACE:
DIED:   13 Feb 1973          PLACE: Los Angeles,Los Angeles,CA
BUR.:                        PLACE:
MARR:   17 Jul 1921          PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
FATHER: Henry Albert LOFGREEN 14                                      PARENTS' MRIN: 7
MOTHER: [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] 51
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WIFE:   Lucille ADAMS [illegible]
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BORN:   5 Jul 1901           PLACE: ,CA
CHR.:                        PLACE:
DIED:      Jan 1990          PLACE: [illegible],Los Angeles,CA
BUR.:                        PLACE:
FATHER: [illegible] ADAMS [illegible]                                PARENTS' MRIN: 1104
MOTHER: [illegible]
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CHILDREN
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 1. NAME: Marjorie Ann LOFGREEN [illegible]
 --- BORN:  8 Oct 1922          PLACE: [illegible],Jackson,MN
  F  CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE: [illegible] [illegible]                                      MRIN: 137
     MARR:                      PLACE: ,CA
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 2. NAME: [illegible] LOFGREEN [illegible]
 --- BORN: 10 Aug 1925          PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
  F  CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:    Mar 1990          PLACE: Los Angeles,Los Angeles,CA
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE: [illegible] [illegible]                                      MRIN: 349
     MARR:  5 Nov 1949          PLACE: ,CA
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 3. NAME:
 --- BORN:                      PLACE:
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     DIED:                      PLACE:
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     CHR.:                      PLACE:
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HUSBAND Helmer LEVERSON-37
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BORN:   22 Dec 1890          PLACE: Enterprise Twp,Jackson Co.,MN
CHR.:                        PLACE:
DIED:   13 Feb 1973          PLACE: Los Angeles,Los Angeles,CA
BUR.:                        PLACE:
MARR:   17 Jul 1921          PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
FATHER: Henry Albert LEVERSON-31                                               PARENTS' MRIN: 7
MOTHER: Sigrid Gunnarsdatter HUSBY-32
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WIFE    Lucille KELLY-536
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BORN:    5 Jun 1903          PLACE: ,,IA
CHR.:                        PLACE:
DIED:      Jan 1993          PLACE: Covina,Los Angeles,CA
BUR.:                        PLACE:
FATHER: John P. KELLY-4744                                                     PARENTS' MRIN: 1324
MOTHER: Sadie-4745
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CHILDREN
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 1.  NAME: Marjorie Ann LEVERSON-537
---- BORN:  4 Oct 1922          PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
 F   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Everett COOK-539                                                  MRIN: 157
     MARR:                      PLACE: ,,CA
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 2.  NAME: Keith Kelly LEVERSON-538
---- BORN: 10 Jan 1925          PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
 M   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:    Oct 1985          PLACE: Los Angeles,Los Angeles,CA
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Clarice Ann-1009                                                  MRIN: 280
     MARR:  5 Feb 1949          PLACE: ,,CA
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 3.  NAME:
---- BORN:                      PLACE:
     CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
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 4.  NAME:
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HUSBAND Helmer LEVERSON-37 Yr of Birth 1890
WIFE Lucille KELLY-536 Yr of Birth 1903

HUSBAND - Helmer LEVERSON-37

Not registered in Jackson Birth Register--probably oversight.

Met & married his wife in Jackson. No conf. to date.

Auto mechanic in Jackson for many years. Moved to California in 1939 & worked for aircraft industry remainder of life.

WIFE - Lucille KELLY-536

Doc: Rena King Birthday Book

Lived in Covina, Calif., near her daughter Marjorie, after her husband'd death

CHILD 1 - Marjorie Ann LEVERSON-537

Doc: Family rec.

Named for maternal aunt. Always called Midge. Lived in Jackson until about 1940, then moved with parents to Los Angeles. Lives in Covina now.

CHILD 2 - Keith Kelly LEVERSON-538

Favorite childhood cousin of RKF

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HUSBAND [illegible] George KING-12
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BORN:   21 Jun 1898          PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
CHR.:          1898          PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
DIED:   26 Jun 1969          PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
BUR.:   29 Jun 1969          PLACE: Riverside Cem,Jackson,MN
MARR:   12 Sep 1920          PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
FATHER: Willis Porter KING-26                                         PARENTS' MRIN: 6
MOTHER: [illegible] (Mary) [illegible]-21
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WIFE    [illegible] Josephine ([illegible]) [illegible]-11
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BORN:    [illegible] Jan 1898   PLACE: Belmont Twp.,Jackson Co.,MN
CHR.:          1898          PLACE: Belmont Twp.,Jackson Co.,MN
DIED:   [illegible]          PLACE: [illegible],Douglas,NE
BUR.:   [illegible]          PLACE: Riverside Cem,Jackson,MN
FATHER: [illegible]                                                   PARENTS' MRIN: 7
MOTHER: [illegible]
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CHILDREN
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 1.  NAME: [illegible] KING-14
---- BORN: [illegible]            PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
 M   CHR.: [illegible]            PLACE: [illegible],Jackson,MN
     DIED:                        PLACE:
     BUR.:                        PLACE:
     SPOUSE: [illegible]-133                                          MRIN: 65
     MARR: [illegible]            PLACE: Mason City,Cerro Gordo,IA
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 2.  NAME: [illegible] KING II-15
---- BORN: [illegible]            PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
 M   CHR.:           [illegible]  PLACE: [illegible],Jackson,MN
     DIED:                        PLACE:
     BUR.:                        PLACE:
     SPOUSE: [illegible]-108                                          MRIN: 66
     MARR: [illegible]            PLACE: Minneapolis,Hennepin,MN
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 3.  NAME: [illegible] KING-1
---- BORN: 13 [illegible]         PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
 F   CHR.: [illegible]            PLACE: [illegible],Jackson,MN
     DIED:                        PLACE:
     BUR.:                        PLACE:
     SPOUSE: [illegible] M.D.-3                                       MRIN: 1
     MARR: 18 [illegible]         PLACE: [illegible],Minneapolis,MN
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 4.  NAME:
---- BORN:                        PLACE:
     CHR.:                        PLACE:
     DIED:                        PLACE:
     BUR.:                        PLACE:
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     MARR:                        PLACE:
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HUSBAND Reginald George KING-12
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BORN:   21 Jun 1898         PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
CHR.:         1898          PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
DIED:   26 Jan 1964         PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
BUR.:   29 Jan 1964         PLACE: Riverside Cem,Jackson,MN
MARR:   12 Sep 1920         PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
FATHER: Willie Porter KING-20                                                         PARENTS' MRIN: 6
MOTHER: Marit (Mary) ROVANG-21
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WIFE    Serena Josephine (Rena) LEVERSON-13
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BORN:    2 Jun 1895         PLACE: Belmont Twp.,Jackson Co.,MN
CHR.:         1895          PLACE: Belmont Twp.,Jackson Co.,MN
DIED:   27 Jan 1986         PLACE: Omaha,Douglas,NE
BUR.:   29 Jan 1986         PLACE: Riverside Cem,Jackson,MN
FATHER: Henry Albert LEVERSON-31                                                      PARENTS' MRIN: 7
MOTHER: Sigrid Gunnarsdatter HUSBY-32
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CHILDREN
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 1.  NAME: Donald George KING-14
---- BORN: 15 May 1922         PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
 M   CHR.: 21 Jun 1922         PLACE: OurSaviorsLuthCh,Jackson,MN
     DIED:                     PLACE:
     BUR.:                     PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Loila Arlene (Lou) HARDY-183                                             MRIN: 43
     MARR:  1 Feb 1952         PLACE: Mason City,Serra Gordo,IA
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 2.  NAME: Robert Hilton KING II-15
---- BORN: 19 Jun 1923         PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
 M   CHR.:       1923          PLACE: OurSaviorsLuthCh,Jackson,MN
     DIED:                     PLACE:
     BUR.:                     PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Phyllis Jean BEALL-186                                                   MRIN: 44
     MARR: 19 Aug 1950         PLACE: Minneapolis,Hennepin,MN
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 3.  NAME: Ruth Ellen KING-2
---- BORN: 13 Nov 1924         PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
 F   CHR.: 21 Dec 1924         PLACE: OurSaviorsLuthCh,Jackson,MN
     DIED:                     PLACE:
     BUR.:                     PLACE:
     SPOUSE: John Gordon FREYMANN M.D.-1                                              MRIN: 1
     MARR: 16 Dec 1950         PLACE: Henn.Ave.Meth.Ch,Minneapolis,MN
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 4.  NAME:
---- BORN:                     PLACE:
     CHR.:                     PLACE:
     DIED:                     PLACE:
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HUSBAND Reginald George KING-12 Yr of Birth 1898
WIFE Serena Josephine (Rena) LEVERSON-13 Yr of Birth 1895

HUSBAND - Reginald George KING-12

B/Chr: Jackson County Birth Rec. Book B, p. 158, item 14. First child in his family officially recorded born in Jackson. First child born in the newly built family home on Main Street

Lived entire life in Jackson. Educated through ninth grade in Jackson schools. Clerk & pharmacist for 30 years at A.T. Fiddes Drug Store, later taken over by Sward Kemp Drug Co.. Custodian of the Jackson County Court House for 14 years.

Active in Masons, Good Faith Lodge No. 90, AF & AM. Life-long Democrat. Brought up in Presbyterian church, became a member of Our Savior's Lutheran Church on his marriage.

Special friend to children and youth in Jackson, many of whom grew up calling him "Uncle George". Somewhat a linguist, prided himself on greeting & carrying on conversations in all the languages then spoken in Jackson--Norwegian, Czech, Swedish,"Bohemian", German...

Fought a long battle with alcoholism. Stopped drinking 1 February, 1952, the day his first grandchild was born, saying "If I'm going to be a grandfather, I want to be the kind my grandchildren can be proud of". Never had another drink. Founded a chapter of the relatively new Alcoholics Anonymous in Jackson in early 1952 and was its most steadfast & respected supporter throughout remainder of his life.

Built & lived in own home at 919 Sherman St. for about 15 years
Died in the Jackson Municipal Hospital after a long illness with inoperable cancer of the bladder, despite major surgery performed July 1964 at Univ of Minn Hospitals, and extensive chemotherapy at the University Masonic Hospital. A note in his wife's daily journal says simply " Geo. passed away at 9:20 PM".

Death/Burial: Jackson Co. Death Rec. Book G, p. 431, item 1. Funeral services were held at the Sathe Funeral Home chapel, with Rev, Fred Sommers officiating. The Masons conducted a service in his honor at the funeral home. Pallbearers were Ed Hiley, Ed Dahl, George Rogentine, Valde Teigen, Dr. L.N. Nerison & Howe Nasby.[Obituary JACKSON COUNTY PILOT Thurs., Jan 20, 1964]

WIFE - Serena Josephine (Rena) LEVERSON-13

Birth recorded in Jackson Birth Register, Book A,pg. 172,#12. One of twins (Anna Otilda RIN #39); always listed after Ann, so probably born second. She was educated through eighth grade in a country school a mile from her farm home. Students were from the four families living on the adjoining farms.Language spoken in school was Norwegian. Her teacher was a member of the Slabaaken family, the mother (later) of Evie Watland. [The last time RKF took Rena back to Jackson,in Nov. 1985, we visited the local nursing home, & Evie's Mother was a patient there, being wheeled around in a wheelchair by her daughter Evie. She She was then just 100 years old & Rena was 90, so there had not been much difference in age when one was the teacher and the other the pupil.]

Marriage recorded in Jackson Marriage Register Book H, pg. 473. Ceremony performed in parish house of Our Savior's Lutheran Church by Rev. T.J.Knutson.

Attendants were Ann Leverson(her twin sister) & Everett Salyards (to whom at that time Ann was engaged).

Clerked in a number of Jackson stores before & after marriage. Known & especially esteemed for her homemaking & sewing skills. Subject of book written by her daughter Ruth, titled "My Mom". [The book was published in a private edition by Amanda Wicks Freymann as a birthday gift to her mother.]

Lived in many homes in Jackson---27 in all. Finally had her own home, moved into it Jan. 26, 1954, and lived happily there for the next 19 years. Lived in Jackson all her life until the last 7 years, when failing health & eye sight made it necessary for her to move to Villa Manor, a residential care facility in Omaha, near her son Bob. She maintained an independent living apartment for most of those years, finally moving to a semi-independent apartment there, but she was mentally alert and always able to care for herself until the very end of her life.

She kept house essentially as a Norwegian house-wife, following the strict rules of housekeeping she had learned as a child. She was a prodigious baker of Norwegian delicacies and maintained many of the old traditions, especially at Christmas. She was always the historian and story teller of her family's life and her children & grandchildren were much enriched by the knowledge of their Norwegian heritage which she gave them.

CHILD 1 - Donald George KING-14

Doc B/Chr: Jackson Co. Birth Rec. Book D, p. 206, item 170

Born at home. Named George for his father, also the name goes back many generations in the Hilton (King) family. Has lived in same home in Minnetonka, Minn. since August 1967.

Attended Junior College in Duluth, Minn., two years, from Dec. 1940 through Dec., 1941. Transferred to Duluth Business College, attended there through May 1942. Went to British Columbia to work on the AlCan Highway from June through December 1942. In March 1943 was appointed Cadet-Midshipman at United States Merchant Marine Academy in King's Point, Long Island, N.Y.. Graduated November 1944 as an Engineering Officer with commissions as Ensign, USNR (United States Naval Reserve--see file for doc.) & Ensign USMS (U S Maritime Service). Rec'd B.S.in Engineering. Returned to Duluth Junior College from Sept 1946 through March 1947. Between March & August 1947 worked as officer on Merchant Marine ship on Great Lakes to earn additional tuition. Transferred to Univ. of Minn. in Sept 1947, grad. Mar 1949 with B.B.A.degree, majoring in Accounting. Began work in the oil industry in May 1949, worked for Union Oil Co. for 36 years, last position as Plant Manager in St. Paul, Minn.. Retired in August 1985.

Member of Zurah Shrine, Minneapolis Consistory (Scottish Rite), and Albert Pike(Blue)Lodge, Hopkins, Minn.

Master of carpentry & building skills, has devoted much time throughout life to creating beautiful homes for self & family. Soloist, singing tenor, bass & baritone for his church, Gethsemene Lutheran, in Hopkins, MN, for over 35 years. Enjoys golf.

CHILD 2 - Robert Hilton KING II-15

Doc B/Chr: Jackson County Birth Rec. book D, p. 217, item 174. Dr. Walter Halloran attended. Born at home.

Named for his Great-Grand-Uncle, Robert Hilton King (RIN# 58)

Attended Jr. College Duluth, Minn., for 1 year. Enlisted in US Navy at beginning of WW II, served several years as communications operator on Admiral Nimitz' staff based in Hawaii. Accepted into ROTC, graduated from Univ. of Colorado,1948. Degree was B.S. in Business Administration. Member of Phi Kappa Tau fraternity.

Manufacturer's representative in the packaging industry.

After marriage, lived first in Chicago, then moved & has lived lifetime in Omaha, Nebraska. Lives at 3055 South 160th Plaza, Omaha, Nebraska

Member of Tangier Shrine Temple, a philanthropic organization which exists for the purpose of providing free clinical assistance to crippled children & burn victims. Also member of Eastern Star.

Avid golfer, sports fan, esp. U of Nebraska football, & owner of recreational vehicle.

CHILD 3 - Ruth Ellen KING-2

Birth: Jackson County Birth Register Book D, p. 206, Item 170. Born at home at 5 AM (according to birth certificate). Attended by Dr. Walter Halloran.

Name has special meaning--first Ruth in family was her Great-Great-Great Grandmother Ruth Lyman (RIN #72). Name Ellen repeated in every King generation & before then of Hiltons, as far back as RKF's 3rd Great-Grand mother Ellen (Nelly) Greenwood (RIN #182) Bearers of the name Ellen have usually been called "Nellie". Name Ellen also appears early in RKF Norwegian family records, the first one being Ellen Madsdatter Kleven, born 1697,RKF's 5th Great-Grandmother on her Kyllo side (RIN# 1354).

Baptism: Our Savior's Lutheran Church. Sponsors Mr. & Mrs. Arthur W. Reibel (Aunt & Uncle. Ann Reibel was Mother's twin sister); Irve R. King (Uncle--Father's brother); and Christine Leverson (Aunt--Mother's sister)

Residence: Lived entire childhood in Jackson, in a number of different homes. Most important two were on River Road (most of childhood) & White St.

Education: Attended Elementary, Junior & Senior High School in Jackson. Graduated 1n May, 1942. Received Graduate Nurse degree from University Of Minnesota School of Nursing 1947. Completed Advanced Certificate in Psychiatric Nursing Education, Univ.of Minn in 1950. Received Certificate in Group & Family Therapy from Hartford Family Institute, 1972.

Career: Head Nurse Jackson Municipal Hospital 1947-1948.Head Nurse Psychiatric Dept. Univ. of Minn. Hospitals 1948-1949. Field Work student then Head Nurse of

HUSBAND Reginald George KING-12 Yr of Birth 1898
WIFE Serena Josephine (Rena) LEVERSON-13 Yr of Birth 1895

Women's Admitting Ward, Rochester State Hospital, Rochester, Minn.,1949-1950. Head Nurse Medical Ward B-6, Bulfinch Building, Massachusetts General Hospital 1951. Involved in community work as volunteer 1952-1961, including service as board member for numerous terms on PTA, League of Women Voters, Wayland Democratic Town Committee, Greater Framingham Mental Health Association. President of Board of Directors, then Executive Director Greater Framingham Mental Health Association 1961-1969. Executive Director The Bridge (multiservice youth center youth center) West Hartford, Ct.,1972-1980. Instrumental in opening first shelter for runaway youth, Junction 1019, in West Hartford. President of Freymann-Rocklin, Inc.,(Education, Consultation & Training for non-profit agencies, especially child & family serving agencies) 1980-1989. Trainer & consultant for numerous non-profit organizations at local, regional, state & national levels, primary concentration on child,adolescent & family service agencies. Served on numerous boards of non-profit agencies, most recently as Fund Raising Chairperson for Ct. National Abortion Rights Action League, 1990-

Married: 4 PM in Chapel of Hennepin Avenue Methodist Church.(Aunt & Uncle, Hazel & Frank Percy, were members there). Minister: The Rev. Dwight Loder. Attendants: Kathryn Haglin (Nursing school classmate from Ironwood, Mich.,that same year married to Robert Nolan, M.D.) & Roy White, M.D., of New Orleans, La.(Resident in Internal Medicine 1949-1950 with JGF at Mayo Clinic). Ushers were Moye & Jarvis Freymann, brothers of the groom. Wedding was attended by 50 family members and friends. Reception held in private home nearby. A wedding supper party was hosted later at their home by Ann & Art Reibel. Wedding night was spent at the Lowell Inn in Stillwater, Minn. The following day the couple flew to Bermuda, where they honeymooned at a small resort named Mizzentop outside of Hamilton. Following the honeymoon, they flew to Boston, & established their first home in an apartment at 127 Myrtle St., where Jeff resumed his residency in Internal Medicine & Ruth soon was employed as head nurse of Ward B-6,Bullfinch Bldg., both at Mass. Gen'l. Hosp.

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HUSBAND [illegible]

BORN: 3 Nov 1892 PLACE: Belmont Twp.,Jackson Co.,MN
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 27 Jun 1975 PLACE: ,MN
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: PLACE:
FATHER: [illegible]
MOTHER: [illegible]

WIFE [illegible]

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FATHER:
MOTHER:

CHILDREN

1. NAME: [illegible]
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SPOUSE: [illegible]
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HUSBAND Elvin Bernhard LEVERSON-40
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BORN:    6 Dec 1897          PLACE: Belmont Twp.,Jackson Co.,MN
CHR.:                        PLACE:
DIED:   23 Jan 1939          PLACE: ,,MN
BUR.:                        PLACE:
MARR:                        PLACE:
FATHER: Henry Albert LEVERSON-31                                               PARENTS' MRIN: 7
MOTHER: Sigrid Gunnarsdatter HUSBY-32
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WIFE    Laura PLAISANCE-1021
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BORN:                        PLACE:
CHR.:                        PLACE:
DIED:                        PLACE:
BUR.:                        PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:
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CHILDREN
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 1.  NAME: Noreen LEVERSON-584
---- BORN:        1932          PLACE:
 F   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Eugene EPSKY Sr.-1022                                             MRIN: 284
     MARR:                      PLACE:
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 2.  NAME:
---- BORN:                      PLACE:
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     DIED:                      PLACE:
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HUSBAND Elvin Bernhard LEVERSON-40 Yr of Birth 1897
WIFE Laura PLAISANCE-1021 Yr of Birth

HUSBAND - Elvin Bernhard LEVERSON-40

Registered in Jackson Birth Register(Book B,p. 10 #19) as Bernhard

Physically impaired by loss of use of arm after polio attack when he was 9.

WIFE - Laura PLAISANCE-1021

CHILD 1 - Noreen LEVERSON-584

Widowed. Remarried to Mr. ___________ in 1988. Betty Fredrickson knows new name & address.

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HUSBAND: Robert Charles RUDIX 6.2.5.1.166
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BORN:   23 Apr 1889          PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
CHR.:                        PLACE:
DIED:   14 May 1973          PLACE: Redwood Falls,Redwood,MN
BUR.:                        PLACE: ,Redwood Falls,MN
MARR:   21 Sep 1921          PLACE: Rutherville,Scott,IA
FATHER: Joseph C. RUDIX-4147                                    PARENTS' MRIN: 1115
MOTHER: Caroline C. ATHENA-4143
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WIFE :  Alma Grace LANDERSON-61
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BORN:   21 Sep 1899          PLACE: Vermont Twp,Perkins CO,MN
CHR.:                        PLACE:
DIED:   16 Aug 1979          PLACE: Redwood Falls,Redwood,MN
BUR.:                        PLACE: ,Redwood Falls,MN
FATHER: Henry Alberts LANDERSON-11                              PARENTS' MRIN: 3
MOTHER: Mary Ann Caroline ... -12
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CHILDREN
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1.  NAME: Margaret Jean RUDIX-561
--- BORN:        1923           PLACE: Redwood Falls,Redwood,MN
F   CHR.:                       PLACE:
    DIED:    Oct 1930           PLACE: Redwood Falls,Redwood,MN
    BUR.:                       PLACE: ,Redwood Falls,MN
    SPOUSE:
    MARR:                       PLACE:
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2.  NAME: Robert Charles RUDIX-562
--- BORN:  1 Aug 1924           PLACE: Redwood Falls,Redwood,MN
M   CHR.:                       PLACE:
    DIED:                       PLACE:
    BUR.:                       PLACE:                       Has other marriage(s)
    SPOUSE: Gloria-1097                                      MRIN: 291
    MARR:  1944                 PLACE:
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3.  NAME: Richard RUDIX-563
--- BORN: 26 Feb 1926           PLACE: Redwood Falls,Redwood,MN
M   CHR.:                       PLACE:
    DIED: 13 May 1966           PLACE: Spokane,Spokane,WA
    BUR.:                       PLACE:                       Has other marriage(s)
    SPOUSE: Roberta "Bobby" 1053                             MRIN: 292
    MARR:  1944                 PLACE:
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4.  NAME: David RUDIX-564
--- BORN: 17 Aug 1936           PLACE: Redwood Falls,Redwood,MN
M   CHR.:                       PLACE:
    DIED:                       PLACE:
    BUR.:                       PLACE:
    SPOUSE: Jean Margaret HASKINS-1054                       MRIN: 293
    MARR:  4 Mar 1960           PLACE: Brookings,Brookings,SD
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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-161

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HUSBAND Joseph Charles BUDIK D.D.S.-560
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BORN:   22 Apr 1900          PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
CHR.:                        PLACE:
DIED:   14 Mar 1977          PLACE: Redwood Falls,Redwood,MN
BUR.:                        PLACE: ,Redwood Falls,MN
MARR:   21 Sep 1921          PLACE: Estherville,Emmet,IA
FATHER: Joseph V. BUDIK-4747                                                   PARENTS' MRIN: 1325
MOTHER: Carrie C. STUPKA-4748
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WIFE    Olga Erina LEVERSON-41
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BORN:   21 Sep 1900          PLACE: Belmont Twp,Jackson CO,MN
CHR.:                        PLACE:
DIED:   16 May 1979          PLACE: Redwood Falls,Redwood,MN
BUR.:                        PLACE: ,Redwood Falls,MN
FATHER: Henry Albert LEVERSON-31                                               PARENTS' MRIN: 7
MOTHER: Sigrid Gunnarsdatter HUSBY-32
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CHILDREN
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 1.  NAME: Margaret Jane BUDIK-561
---- BORN:        1925          PLACE: Redwood Falls,Redwood,MN
 F   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:    Oct 1932          PLACE: Redwood Falls,Redwood,MN
     BUR.:                      PLACE: ,Redwood Falls,MN
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                      PLACE:
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 2.  NAME: Robert Charles BUDIK-562
---- BORN:  1 May 1928          PLACE: Redwood Falls,Redwood,MN
 M   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:                                         has other marriage(s)
     SPOUSE: Gloria-1047                                                       MRIN: 291
     MARR: (div)                PLACE:
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 3.  NAME: Richard BUDIK-564
---- BORN: 26 Feb 1935          PLACE: Redwood Falls,Redwood,MN
 M   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED: 19 Nov 1994          PLACE: Spokane,Spokane,WA
     BUR.:                      PLACE:                                         has other marriage(s)
     SPOUSE: Roberta "Bobby"-1052                                              MRIN: 292
     MARR: (div)                PLACE:
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 4.  NAME: David BUDIK-563
---- BORN: 27 Aug 1936          PLACE: Redwood Falls,Redwood,MN
 M   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Jean Margaret UNZEITIG-1054                                       MRIN: 294
     MARR:  4 Mar 1960          PLACE: Brookings,Brookings,SD
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HUSBAND Joseph Charles BUDIK D.D.S.-560 Yr of Birth 1900
WIFE Olga Brina LEVERSON-41 Yr of Birth 1900

HUSBAND - Joseph Charles BUDIK D.D.S.-560

Doc: Family rec., War Service rec., Jackson Pub. Lib.

The Budik family came from Hamr, Bohemia. Joseph's grandfather, John Budik (b. Hamr 18 Jun 1825), his 2nd wife, Mary Busta (b. Hamr 23 Dec 1836), & most of his 6 children immigrated to America in 1880s, settled in Jackson, MN, where Joe & his brother Frank were both born. (See file for more extensive data)

War Service: Pvt., S.A.T.C. Co., Co. 3, Exposition Barracks; entered service 11 Oct 1918, Mpls, MN; mustered out 20 Dec 1918, Mpls., MN

Education: Grad. Jackson High School; he & Olga were classmates. Received D.D.S. from Univ of Minn.

Occupation: Practiced dentistry in Redwood Falls until 1951; then became Postmaster. Was also Mayor there for a number of years. In later life was a gentleman farmer.

WIFE - Olga Brina LEVERSON-41

Doc: Family rec.

Graduated Jackson High School

Her sister Helen recorded her birth date in the Jackson County vital records at the court house in 1952 (Why?? Possible she needed a passport for a trip she made to Cuba & at that point discovered her birth was not recorded)

CHILD 1 - Margaret Jane BUDIK-561

Doc: Family rec.

Frequent visitor with her family in Jackson & Redwood Falls. Many photographs of her in family albums.

Died suddenly of an embolism 6 days after an appendectomy

CHILD 2 - Robert Charles BUDIK-562

Doc: Family rec.

Lives in Phoenix, AZ for 11 years; now lives in Las Vegas, NV, also in Fox Lake, IL.

Lives 5 blocks from Caesar's Palace. He & wife "like to gamble"

Other marriages:

Heidi-5221	MRIN: 1472

CHILD 3 - Richard BUDIK-564

Doc: Family rec.

Death: Letter from his brother David (Xmas 1994) states "...sudden death of brother Dick on November 19, 1994. He found out on October that he had cancer

of the liver which turned out to be inoperative..."

Address at time of death South 8900 Mullen Hill Road #696 Spokane WA. Tel # 509-448-6835

Other marriages:

Abt	1978	Judy-1053	MRIN: 293
Aft	1980	Shirleen-5215	MRIN: 1469

CHILD 4 - David BUDIK-563

Doc: Family rec. Born & grew up in Redwood Falls, MN.

Employed in Soc. Serv. Administration in Denver for a number of years.

Lived in Colorado for a number of years. Left there Dec 1979, moved to Seattle, WA. Retired 1991, relocated to Shelton, WA, a small town 70 miles west of Seattle. Currently (Xmas letter 1994) living in Park Rapids, MN, moved there in June 1994.

Hobby is making & selling artistic objects made with lathe & power saw

Has traced extensive genealogy of Budik ancestors (See file for copy--also his father's FGR)

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-13

6 Oct 1993

HUSBAND Frank [illegible]-413

BORN: 13 Sep 1906 PLACE: Sandstone ,Minn.
CHR.: PLACE:
MARR.: 5 Jun 1932 PLACE: Minneapolis,Hennepin,Minn.
BUR.: PLACE: Sunset Cem.,Minneapolis,Minn.
DIED: 5 Jul 1979 PLACE: Duluth,St. Louis,MN
FATHER:
MOTHER:

WIFE [illegible] Blanche [illegible]-17

BORN: 2 Aug 1905 PLACE: [illegible],Alexandria,MN
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER: Henry [illegible] [illegible]-33
MOTHER: [illegible] [illegible]-32

Has other marriages
PARENTS' MARR: ?

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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-111

6 Oct 1993

HUSBAND Frank PERCY-413

BORN: 29 Mar 1900 PLACE: Sandstone,,Minn.
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 1 Jan 1953 PLACE: Minneapolis,Hennepin,Minn.
BUR.: PLACE: Sunset Cem.,Minneapolis,Minn.
MARR: 6 Jul 1940 PLACE: Duluth,St. Louis,MN
FATHER:
MOTHER:

WIFE Hazel Blanche LEVERSON-42

BORN: 3 Aug 1904 PLACE: Brandon,Alexandria,MN
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER: Henry Albert LEVERSON-31
MOTHER: Sigrid Gunnarsdatter HUSBY-32

has other marriages
PARENTS' MRIN: 7

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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-111
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HUSBAND Frank PERCY-413 Yr of Birth 1900
WIFE Hazel Blanche LEVERSON-42 Yr of Birth 1904

HUSBAND - Frank PERCY-413

He was of Irish & Pennsylvania Dutch descent

Had 6 brothers & sisters

Married 3 times. First wife named Sophie. Married for about 5 years. She was a nurse, & she died of cancer. His 2nd marriage was to Mabel Beck, a teacher in St. Louis Park. That marriage lasted for about 1 month.

Manager of the Mississippi Valley Lumbermen's Publishing Co. in Minneapolis for more than 20 years, until his death. Printed major materials for many schools, churches & businesses.

Suffered a massive stroke while attending a dinner dance on New Year's Eve. Died a few hours later.

WIFE - Hazel Blanche LEVERSON-42

Only child in her family born in Brandon during brief period when father moved his family & farmed there.

Names Hazel and Blanche both much lused family names, esp. in Kyllo family

Attended Mankato State Teachers College for 2 1/2 years, from 1925 through 1927; attended USC summer of 1936; Macalaster College in 1937.Attended Macphail School of Music two summers. Taught school for 26 years, 3rd grade for 10 years in Morehead, Minn.(1927-1937); 7th & 8th grades in St. Paul for 3 years; 13 years, mainly 3rd grade, in Minneapolis (1956-1968).

Married Frank Percy in Endion Methodist Church in Duluth. Ann (Leverson--her sister) & Art Reibel were their attendants.

Traveled extensively in Europe. Met & traveled in Norway with RKF in summer of 1958, later visited London together with RKF & JGF.

Married Bob Hartmann in Edina Morningside Church. Traveled extensively with him in Europe & Mexico.In 1973 they traveled to Norway & visited the Husby farm.

Frank is buried Sunset Memorial Cemetery, St. Paul, Minn., in the same plot with his first wife

Bob Hartmann is buried at Lakewood Cemetery, Mpls. in family plot with his first wife. Hazel will also be buried there.

Hazel lives in a condominium she owns Edina, a suburb of Minneapolis

Other marriages:
6 Apr 1968 Robert HARTMANN-414

Eighth Generation
Leverson

Children of
Julia Liverson & Tom Laingen ⑤
&
Their Children

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-1100

28 Jul 1992

HUSBAND Palmer T. LAINGEN-551

BORN: 1888 PLACE: Odin,Martin,MN
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 1957 PLACE: Odin,Martin,MN
BUR.: PLACE: Zion Luth Cem,Odin,Martin,MN
MARR: PLACE:
FATHER: Thorsten P. (Tom) LAINGEN-550 PARENTS' MRIN: 158
MOTHER: Julia LEVERSON-153

WIFE Amanda-3802

BORN: 1887 PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 1987 PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE: Zion Luth Cem,Odin,Martin,MN
FATHER:
MOTHER:

CHILDREN

1. NAME: Lester LAINGEN-3803
---- BORN: Abt 1912 PLACE:
M CHR.: PLACE:
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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-1100
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HUSBAND	Palmer T. LAINGEN-551	Yr of Birth 1888
WIFE	Amanda-3802	Yr of Birth 1887

HUSBAND - Palmer T. LAINGEN-551
Source: Tombstone.

Probably named for his uncle, Palmer K. Laingen, who also lived in Odin

WIFE - Amanda-3802
Source: Tombstone

CHILD 1 - Lester LAINGEN-3803
Source: Ruth Leverson Laingen. Knowledgable about Leverson family. Should be contacted

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WIFE: [illegible]

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HUSBAND HOWE-3809

BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

WIFE Elma LAINGEN-3805

BORN: 6 May 1894 PLACE: Odin,Martin,MN
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 1 Aug 1972 PLACE: Odin,Martin,MN
BUR.: PLACE: Zion Luth Cem,Odin,Martin,MN
FATHER: Thorsten P. (Tom) LAINGEN-550 PARENTS' MRIN: 158
MOTHER: Julia LEVERSON-153

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HUSBAND	HOWE-3809	Yr of Birth
WIFE	Elma LAINGEN-3805	Yr of Birth 1894

HUSBAND - HOWE-3809
Source: Family rec. Ruth Leverson Harder

WIFE - Elma LAINGEN-3805
Source: Family rec. Ruth Leverson Harder

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FATHER: [illegible] [illegible]
MOTHER: [illegible]

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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-1103

28 Jul 1992

HUSBAND Carl LAINGEN-3806

BORN: 1900 PLACE: Odin,Martin,MN
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 1982 PLACE: Odin,Martin,MN
BUR.: PLACE: Zion Luth Cem,Odin,Martin,MN
MARR: PLACE:
FATHER: Thorsten P. (Tom) LAINGEN-550 PARENTS' MRIN: 158
MOTHER: Julia LEVERSON-153

WIFE Alta-3810

BORN: 1903 PLACE:
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FATHER:
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HUSBAND   Carl LAINGEN-3806                                   Yr of Birth 1900
WIFE      Alta-3810                                           Yr of Birth 1903
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HUSBAND - Carl LAINGEN-3806
Source: Family rec. Ruth Leverson Harder

WIFE - Alta-3810
Source: Ruth Leverson Harder

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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-1101

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HUSBAND Melvin LAINGEN-3134
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BORN:        1903        PLACE: Odin,Martin,MN
CHR.:                    PLACE:
DIED:        1973        PLACE:
BUR.:                    PLACE: Zion Luth Cem,Odin,Martin,MN
MARR:                    PLACE:
FATHER: Thorsten P. (Tom) LAINGEN-550                                           PARENTS' MRIN: 158
MOTHER: Julia LEVERSON-153
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WIFE    Emily M.-3804
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BORN:        1910        PLACE:
CHR.:                    PLACE:
DIED:        1990        PLACE:
BUR.:                    PLACE: Zion Luth Cem,Odin,Martin,MN
FATHER:
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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-1101
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HUSBAND Melvin LAINGEN-3134 Yr of Birth 1903
WIFE Emily M.-3804 Yr of Birth 1910

HUSBAND - Melvin LAINGEN-3134
Source: Tombstone

WIFE - Emily M.-3804
Source: Tombstone

FAMILY GROUP RECORD LIST

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HUSBAND [illegible]

BIRTH: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
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WIFE [illegible]

BIRTH: PLACE: [illegible],Bertie,NC
CHR.: PLACE:
DEATH: PLACE: [illegible],Glen [illegible],NC
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FATHER: [illegible]
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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-1104

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HUSBAND UMHOFER-3811
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BORN:                   PLACE:
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WIFE    Hulda LAINGEN-3808
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BORN:                   PLACE: Odin,Martin,MN
CHR.:                   PLACE:
DIED:        1991       PLACE: Mankato,Blue Earth,MN
BUR.:                   PLACE:
FATHER: Thorsten P. (Tom) LAINGEN-550                                  PARENTS' MRIN: 158
MOTHER: Julia LEVERSON-153
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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-1104
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HUSBAND UMHOFER-3811 Yr of Birth
WIFE Hulda LAINGEN-3808 Yr of Birth

HUSBAND - UMHOFER-3811
Source: Family rec. Ruth Leverson Harder

WIFE - Hulda LAINGEN-3808
Source: Family rec. Ruth Leverson Harder

Leverson Seventh Generation

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Children of Charles Leverson & Lena Olson
&
Their Children

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-652

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HUSBAND Austin CAPP-2301

BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: 6 Mar 1944 PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

WIFE Hazel Caroline LEVERSON-558

BORN: 12 Oct 1896 PLACE: Kimball Twp.,Jackson Co.,MN
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 30 Oct 1987 PLACE: St. James,Watonwan,MN
BUR.: 3 Nov 1987 PLACE: Zion Luth Cem,Odin,Martin,MN
FATHER: Carl Gustav (Charles) LEVERSON-151 PARENTS' MRIN: 160
MOTHER: Olina Louise (Lena) OLSON-555

CHILDREN

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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-652
DOCUMENTATION

28 Jul 1992

HUSBAND	Austin CAPP-2301	Yr of Birth
WIFE	Hazel Caroline LEVERSON-558	Yr of Birth 1896

HUSBAND - Austin CAPP-2301

WIFE - Hazel Caroline LEVERSON-558
Source: Betty Ludvigsen Fredricksen & Ruth Leverson Harder

Married twice First husband named Bill Collins-- married 25 Nov 1914, later divorced. No children.

Lived in Scottsdale,Arizona after widowed second time.

FAMILY GROUP RECORD [illegible]

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HUSBAND: [illegible]

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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-1106

HUSBAND Milo Louis LEVERSON-3812

BORN: 5 May 1898 PLACE: Kimball Twp.,Jackson Co.,MN
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 23 Nov 1967 PLACE: St. James,Watonwan,MN
BUR.: PLACE: Lakewood Cem,Minneapolis,Hennepin,MN
MARR: 21 Jun 1928 PLACE:
FATHER: Carl Gustav (Charles) LEVERSON-151 PARENTS' MRIN: 160
MOTHER: Olina Louise (Lena) OLSON-555

WIFE Berti LANGLAND-3817

BORN: PLACE:
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FATHER:
MOTHER:

CHILDREN

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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-1106
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HUSBAND Milo Louis LEVERSON-3812 Yr of Birth 1898
WIFE Berti LANGLAND-3817 Yr of Birth

HUSBAND - Milo Louis LEVERSON-3812
Source: Ruth Leverson Harder

Had no children

Worked for Parkman Florists in Minneapolis for 35 years.

WIFE - Berti LANGLAND-3817
Source: Ruth Leverson Harder

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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-[illegible]

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CURRENT WIFE [illegible]

CHILDREN

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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-651

28 Jul 1992

HUSBAND Bill CASSEM-2300

BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 1967 PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: 6 Mar 1944 PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

WIFE Esther Louise LEVERSON-557

BORN: 2 Oct 1899 PLACE: Kimball Twp.,Jackson Co.,MN
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 14 Nov 1976 PLACE: St. James,Watonwan,MN
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER: Carl Gustav (Charles) LEVERSON-151 PARENTS' MRIN: 160
MOTHER: Olina Louise (Lena) OLSON-555

CHILDREN

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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-651
DOCUMENTATION

HUSBAND	Bill CASSEM-2300	Yr of Birth
WIFE	Esther Louise LEVERSON-557	Yr of Birth 1899

HUSBAND - Bill CASSEM-2300
Source: Ruth Leverson Harder

Farmed near Odin

WIFE - Esther Louise LEVERSON-557
Source: Ruth Leverson Harder

Lost 3 babies. Taught school. After marriage, farmed near Odin

FAMILY GROUP RECORD

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WIFE: [illegible]

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HUSBAND Lloyd EVANS-2298

BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 1991 PLACE: St. James,Watonwan,MN
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

WIFE Laura Florentine LEVERSON-559

BORN: 6 Jan 1901 PLACE: Kimball Twp.,Jackson Co.,MN
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER: Carl Gustav (Charles) LEVERSON-151 PARENTS' MRIN: 160
MOTHER: Olina Louise (Lena) OLSON-555

CHILDREN

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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-649
DOCUMENTATION

HUSBAND	Lloyd EVANS-2298	Yr of Birth
WIFE	Laura Florentine LEVERSON-559	Yr of Birth 1901

HUSBAND - Lloyd EVANS-2298
Source: Betty Fredricksen

WIFE - Laura Florentine LEVERSON-559
Birth information: Jackson Birth Register, Book B-page 1134-#24. Name spelled Leavorson

Still living in St. James

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-864

28 Jul 1992

HUSBAND Floyd Gordon LEVERSON-556

BORN: 7 Mar 1904 PLACE: Kimball Twp.,Jackson Co.,Minn.
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 19 Aug 1985 PLACE: Odin,Martin,MN
BUR.: PLACE: Zion Luth Cem,Odin,Martin,MN
MARR: PLACE:
FATHER: Carl Gustav (Charles) LEVERSON-151 PARENTS' MRIN: 160
MOTHER: Olina Louise (Lena) OLSON-555

WIFE Hazel V.-3141

BORN: 24 Dec 1902 PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

CHILDREN

1. NAME: Joyce Lareen LEVERSON-3142
---- BORN: 4 Apr 1931 PLACE: Odin,Martin,MN
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Luane JOHNSON-3818 MRIN: 1107
MARR: 7 Sep 1951 PLACE:

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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-864
DOCUMENTATION

HUSBAND	Floyd Gordon LEVERSON-556	Yr of Birth 1904
WIFE	Hazel V.-3141	Yr of Birth 1902

HUSBAND - Floyd Gordon LEVERSON-556

Birth information from Jackson Co. Birth Register Book B-pg 115-#86. Name spelled Leavorson.

Always lived in Odin. Owned & operated a hardware store.

WIFE - Hazel V.-3141

Source: Tombstone & Ruth Leverson Harder.

Living with daughter in Odin

CHILD 1 - Joyce Lareen LEVERSON-3142

Source: Ruth Leverson Hardert. Lives in Odin. She & husband breed & sell horses, have a large horse fair every year.

Has child or children--need to complete data

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HUSBAND Cornelius C. HARDER-2299

BORN: Abt 1905 PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: 12 Oct 1931 PLACE: Luth Parsonage,St. James,Watonwan,MN
FATHER:
MOTHER:

WIFE Ruth Geneva LEVERSON-1261

BORN: 7 Mar 1910 PLACE: Belmont Twp.,Jackson Co.,MN
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER: Carl Gustav (Charles) LEVERSON-151 PARENTS' MRIN: 160
MOTHER: Olina Louise (Lena) OLSON-555

CHILDREN

1. NAME: Robert Dean HARDER-3814
---- BORN: 13 Oct 1932 PLACE: Odin,Martin,MN
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

2. NAME: Rosalyn Jean HARDER-3815
---- BORN: 22 May 1941 PLACE: Odin,Martin,MN
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Gene FOSSUM-3816 MRIN: 1105
MARR: 22 Jun 1974 PLACE: Odin,Martin,MN

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HUSBAND Cornelius C. HARDER-2299 Yr of Birth 1905
WIFE Ruth Geneva LEVERSON-1261 Yr of Birth 1910

HUSBAND - Cornelius C. HARDER-2299

Source: Ruth Leverson Harder & himself

Had a Barber shop in Odin for 55 years. Retired when he was 80.

WIFE - Ruth Geneva LEVERSON-1261

Birth information: Jackson Birth Register Book c-page 167-#335. Name by that time spelled as at present--Leverson.

RKF visited & interviewed her in July. 1992 at her home in Odin. Source of much information about all Leversons children of her generation & the following one. She described early life in Odin, including that she had a horse & cutter which she drove across the fields to get to school in winter. She gave information about the Laingen family; that 3 cousin settled in Odin, one of them the father of Bruce Laingen, another the husband of her sister Julia. When Bruce Laingen returned to this country there was a large celebration in Odin to honor him. Ruth has a scrapbook of the whole event.

She recounted how she would go as a child with her parents by horse & buggy to decorate the family graves at Bergen for Memorial Day, a trip that took all day. They must have bumped into the other Leverson families from Jackson doing the same thing!

Family photograph in possession of RKF, shows her as new baby, in addition to other 4 children, sitting on mother's knee--photo returned to Ruth 1992

CHILD 1 - Robert Dean HARDER-3814

Source: Ruth Leverson Harder, his mother

Born at St. James Hospital

Unmarried

Currently President of Odin Bank

CHILD 2 - Rosalyn Jean HARDER-3815

Source: Ruth Leverson Harder, her mother

Born in Mountain Lake Hospital. She was prematurely born. Her mother stayed in the hospital with her for 2 months; Rosalyn was kept there an additional 6 weeks.

Taught school 12 years in Minneapolis . Has no children.

Has extensive collection of (stuffed) bears & antiques

Eighth Generation

Children of

Helen Leverson & Knut Logan ㉖

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-1109

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HUSBAND OLMSTED-3824
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MARR:                PLACE:
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WIFE   Hannah LOGAN-3819
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BORN:                PLACE:
CHR.:                PLACE:
DIED:        1992    PLACE:
BUR.:                PLACE:
FATHER: Knute LOGAN-1228                                              PARENTS' MRIN: 343
MOTHER: Helen LEVERSON-149
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CHILDREN
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 1.  NAME: Chauncey OLMSTED-3825
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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-1109
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HUSBAND OLMSTED-3824 Yr of Birth
WIFE Hannah LOGAN-3819 Yr of Birth

HUSBAND - OLMSTED-3824

Source: Ruth Leverson Harder

Occupation: Barber

WIFE - Hannah LOGAN-3819

Source: Ruth Leverson Harder

Lived in Orfordville, Wisconsin

CHILD 1 - Chauncey OLMSTED-3825

Source: Ruth Leverson Harder.

Chauncey & Ruth used to ride horses together when they were children.

Ask Lester Laingen for additional data

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WIFE: [illegible]

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FATHER: [illegible] [illegible]
MOTHER: [illegible]

CHILDREN

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HUSBAND Harold ANDERSON-3823
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BORN:    7 Oct 1894        PLACE:
CHR.:                      PLACE:
DIED:   13 Jan 1921        PLACE:
BUR.:                      PLACE: Zion Luth Cem,Odin,Martin,MN
MARR:                      PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:
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WIFE    Hazel LOGAN-3820
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BORN:                      PLACE:
CHR.:                      PLACE:
DIED:                      PLACE:
BUR.:                      PLACE:
                                                                  PARENTS' MRIN: 343
FATHER: Knute LOGAN-1228
MOTHER: Helen LEVERSON-149
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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-1108
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HUSBAND Harold ANDERSON-3823 Yr of Birth 1894
WIFE Hazel LOGAN-3820 Yr of Birth

HUSBAND - Harold ANDERSON-3823
Source: Ruth Leverson Harder Presume he is the person buried at Odin. Needs to be confirmed

WIFE - Hazel LOGAN-3820
Source: Ruth Leverson Harder

Eighth Generation

Children of
Tillie Hoverson + Ole Veek

Eighth Generation

Children of

Helmer Leverson + Myrtle Neygard + ⑧

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-1110

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HUSBAND WENDELSHAFER-3837

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CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
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FATHER:
MOTHER:

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WIFE Dolly LEVERSON-3830

BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER: Helmer LEVERSON-152 PARENTS' MRIN: 653
MOTHER: Myrtle NEYGANDT-2304

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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-1110
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28 Jul 1992

HUSBAND	WENDELSHAFER-3837	Yr of Birth
WIFE	Dolly LEVERSON-3830	Yr of Birth

HUSBAND - WENDELSHAFER-3837
Source: Ruth Leverson Harder

WIFE - Dolly LEVERSON-3830
Source: Ruth Leverson Harder

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HUSBAND PIHALE-3838
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WIFE    Beulah LEVERSON-3833
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BORN:                    PLACE:
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DIED:                    PLACE:
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FATHER: Helmer LEVERSON-152                                                    PARENTS' MRIN: 653
MOTHER: Myrtle NEYGANDT-2304
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HUSBAND	PIHALE-3838	Yr of Birth
WIFE	Beulah LEVERSON-3833	Yr of Birth

HUSBAND - PIHALE-3838
Source: Ruth Leverson Harder

WIFE - Beulah LEVERSON-3833
Source: Ruth Leverson Harder

Has 1 adopted daughter. Both she & husband living in Mankato

Fifth Generation
Leverson

Ninth Generation Leverson

Grandchildren of Albert Leverson
&
Sigrid Husby

& Their Children

Children of
Helen Leverson
+
George Ludvigsen

+

Their Children

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-150

29 Jul 1992

HUSBAND Harold FREDRICKSON-193

BORN: 10 Mar 1920 PLACE: Duluth,,Minn.
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,Minn.
FATHER: Gustav Adolf FREDRICKSON-998 PARENTS' MRIN: 275
MOTHER: Annette WILNER-999

WIFE Betty LUDVIGSEN-194

BORN: 22 Jun 1922 PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,Minn.
CHR.: 1922 PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,Minn.
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER: George Christian LUDVIGSEN-197 PARENTS' MRIN: 45
MOTHER: Helen Grace LEVERSON-33

CHILDREN

1. NAME: Linda FREDRICKSON-195
---- BORN: 6 Jun 1949 PLACE: Minneapolis,Hennepin,Minn.
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

2. NAME: Jane FREDRICKSON-196
---- BORN: 4 Aug 1952 PLACE: Minneapolis,Hennepin,Minn.
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Roger HOLMES-108 MRIN: 151
MARR: 2 Aug 1974 PLACE: Minneapolis,Hennepin,Minn.

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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-150
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HUSBAND	Harold FREDRICKSON-193	Yr of Birth 1920
WIFE	Betty LUDVIGSEN-194	Yr of Birth 1922

HUSBAND - Harold FREDRICKSON-193

WIFE - Betty LUDVIGSEN-194

Christened at Our Savior's Lutheran Church.

Attended Macalester College 3 years, majoring in Medical Technology. Registered Nurse, graduate of Univ Minn School of Nursing 1947.

Married at Our Savior's Lutheran Church. Attendants were Cousins Donald, Robert & Ruth Ellen King.

Lives in Minneapolis. Worked as staff nurse, then was an active volunteer for University Hospitals for many years.

Active with husband in square-dancing

CHILD 1 - Linda FREDRICKSON-195

CHILD 2 - Jane FREDRICKSON-196

Children of

George Leverson

+

Bessie Bruce

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Their Children

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HUSBAND Everett LEVERSON-566
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BORN:   16 Oct 1918      PLACE: Lakefield,Jackson,MN
CHR.:                    PLACE:
DIED:   19 Oct 1987      PLACE: Bartlesville,Washington,OK
BUR.:   23 Oct 1987      PLACE: Mem. Park Cem.,Bartlesville,OK
MARR:   22 Oct 1949      PLACE: St. Paul,Ramsey,MN
FATHER: George Canelius LEVERSON-34                                          PARENTS' MRIN: 162
MOTHER: Bessie Belle BRUCE-565
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WIFE    Marilyn LEDY-964
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BORN:                    PLACE:
CHR.:                    PLACE:
DIED:                    PLACE:
BUR.:                    PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:
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CHILDREN
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 1.  NAME: Bruce Alan LEVERSON-1003
---- BORN:  1 Nov 1953        PLACE:
 M   CHR.:                    PLACE:
     DIED:    Apr 1982        PLACE: Bartlesville,,OK
     BUR.:                    PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                    PLACE:
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 2.  NAME: Greg Paul LEVERSON-1004
---- BORN:                    PLACE:
 M   CHR.:                    PLACE:
     DIED:                    PLACE:
     BUR.:                    PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Carol Harmon MOORE-1006                                         MRIN: 277
     MARR:  5 Oct 1987        PLACE: Las Vegas,,NV
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 3.  NAME: Lynn Marie LEVERSON-1005
---- BORN:                    PLACE:
 F   CHR.:                    PLACE:
     DIED:                    PLACE:
     BUR.:                    PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                    PLACE:
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 4.  NAME:
---- BORN:                    PLACE:
     CHR.:                    PLACE:
     DIED:                    PLACE:
     BUR.:                    PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                    PLACE:
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HUSBAND Everett LEVERSON-566 Yr of Birth 1918
WIFE Marilyn LEDY-964 Yr of Birth

HUSBAND - Everett LEVERSON-566

B/Chr: Jackson Co. Birth Reg. Book D, p. 159, item 265. Father George, occupation Auto mechanic

Successful businessman; wonderful big (over 6'4") red-haired bear of a man; Master bridge player, played in many tournaments around the country

Died very suddenly of Cancer of the Pancreas.

WIFE - Marilyn LEDY-964

Address known to Cousin Betty--RKF needs to get it.

CHILD 1 - Bruce Alan LEVERSON-1003

Death: Committed suicide after severe depression. Presumably buried in Bartlesville

CHILD 2 - Greg Paul LEVERSON-1004

Lives in Tulsa, Oklahoma

CHILD 3 - Lynn Marie LEVERSON-1005

Children of Sam Iverson

&

Thora Jensen

&

Their Children

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-1861

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HUSBAND Vernon Samuel LEVERSON-569
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BORN:   10 Mar 1917          PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
CHR.:                        PLACE:
DIED:                        PLACE:
BUR.:                        PLACE:
MARR:                        PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
FATHER: Samuel A. LEVERSON-35                                                          PARENTS' MRIN: 163
MOTHER: Thora C. R. JENSEN-568
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WIFE    Leone JAMES-6591
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BORN:                        PLACE:
CHR.:                        PLACE:
DIED:                        PLACE:
BUR.:                        PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:
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CHILDREN
==============================================================================================================
 1.  NAME: Dennis LEVERSON-6595
---- BORN:                      PLACE:
 M   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                      PLACE:
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 2.  NAME: Allen LEVERSON-6596
---- BORN:                      PLACE:
 M   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                      PLACE:
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 3.  NAME: Darrell LEVERSON-6597
---- BORN:                      PLACE:
 M   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                      PLACE:
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 4.  NAME: Rick LEVERSON-6598
---- BORN:                      PLACE:
 M   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                      PLACE:
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                                           |     Husband_____________________________
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                                           |        Wife_____________________________     Date prepared: 14 Jul 1998
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HUSBAND Vernon Samuel LEVERSON-569                                                              Yr of Birth 1917
WIFE    Leone JAMES-6591                                                                        Yr of Birth
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CHILDREN (continued)
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 5.  NAME: Reatha LEVERSON-6599
---- BORN:                    PLACE:
 F   CHR.:                    PLACE:
     DIED:                    PLACE:
     BUR.:                    PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                    PLACE:
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 6.  NAME: Rene LEVERSON-6600
---- BORN:                    PLACE:
 F   CHR.:                    PLACE:
     DIED:                    PLACE:
     BUR.:                    PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                    PLACE:
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HUSBAND	Vernon Samuel LEVERSON-569	Yr of Birth 1917
WIFE	Leone JAMES-6591	Yr of Birth

HUSBAND - Vernon Samuel LEVERSON-569

Doc: Jackson Birth Register Book d,p. 152,#412; letter from Betty Fredricksen

Helped his Dad on farm in Sherburne before marriage, did extra work around Jackson for Lou Miller, Ascheman & others.

Farmed in Barrett, MN. Moved to Columbia Falls, Montana, in 1965. Retired at age 56 with a back problem. Made fishing plugs for trout fishing in Montana & Canada, sold through local stores.

Address: 534 7th Avenue West, Columbia Falls, MT. Phone: 406-892-4067

WIFE - Leone JAMES-6591

Doc: Betty Fredricksen

Worked as a dispatcher for the local police department for 15 years.

CHILD 1 - Dennis LEVERSON-6595

Doc: Betty F.

Heavy equipment operator

Lives in Rockton, PA

CHILD 2 - Allen LEVERSON-6596

Doc: Betty F.

House contractor

Unmarried, lives in Whitefish, MT

CHILD 3 - Darrell LEVERSON-6597

Doc: Betty F.

Built houses until fell off roof in 1993. Now driving heavy equipment

CHILD 4 - Rick LEVERSON-6598

Doc: Betty F.

Mechanic, works for Northwest Airlines

Lives in Farmington, Minnesota

CHILD 5 - Reatha LEVERSON-6599

Doc: Betty F.

Twin of Rene

Operates a day care center

Married, has 2 children

HUSBAND Vernon Samuel LEVERSON-569 Yr of Birth 1917
WIFE Leone JAMES-6591 Yr of Birth

Lives in Yakima, Washington

CHILD 6 - Rene LEVERSON-6600

Doc: Betty F.

Recently divorced, no children

She is a Jehovah's Witness

Manager of a Taco John's

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-1876

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HUSBAND Ivan WINGERT-6601
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BORN:   Abt  1918          PLACE:
CHR.:                      PLACE:
DIED:    1 Mar 1992        PLACE: ,,MT
BUR.:                      PLACE:
MARR:        1937          PLACE: ,,MN
FATHER:
MOTHER:
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WIFE    Lucille Esther LEVERSON-570
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BORN:   21 Sep 1920        PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
CHR.:                      PLACE:
DIED:                      PLACE:
BUR.:                      PLACE:
FATHER: Samuel A. LEVERSON-35                                 PARENTS' MRIN: 163
MOTHER: Thora C. R. JENSEN-568
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CHILDREN
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 1.  NAME: Carol Jean WINGERT-6602
---- BORN: Abt    1939        PLACE: ,,MN
 F   CHR.:                    PLACE:
     DIED:                    PLACE:
     BUR.:                    PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                    PLACE:
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 2.  NAME: Barbara WINGERT-6603
---- BORN: Abt    1943        PLACE: ,,MN
 F   CHR.:                    PLACE:
     DIED:                    PLACE:
     BUR.:                    PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                    PLACE:
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 3.  NAME: Vicky WINGERT-6604
---- BORN: Abt    1945        PLACE: ,,MN
 F   CHR.:                    PLACE:
     DIED:                    PLACE:
     BUR.:                    PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                    PLACE:
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 4.  NAME:
---- BORN:                    PLACE:
     CHR.:                    PLACE:
     DIED:                    PLACE:
     BUR.:                    PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                    PLACE:
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                                  |       Wife____________________   Date prepared: 14 Jul 1998
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HUSBAND	Ivan WINGERT-6601	Yr of Birth 1918
WIFE	Lucille Esther LEVERSON-570	Yr of Birth 1920

HUSBAND - Ivan WINGERT-6601
Doc: Betty F.

WIFE - Lucille Esther LEVERSON-570
Doc: Jackson Birth Register Book D,p. 178 #35; letter from Betty Fredricksen.

Met her husband when he was a hired hand on her father's farm (the one by the golf course). After marriage, they moved to Kensington, MN, & farmed a few years. Moved to Montana in 1966, where he worked in a plywood factory.

Widowed. Lives at Quiet Day Manor, 204 4th Avenue North, Cascade, MT,

Address: Box 145, Cascade, MT 59421. Phone: 406-468-2288

CHILD 1 - Carol Jean WINGERT-6602
Doc: Betty F.

Graduated Kensington HS in 1956

Works in bank in Cascade

Address: 115 Chestnut Valley Road, Cascade, MT, 59421

CHILD 2 - Barbara WINGERT-6603
Doc: Betty F.

Graduated Kensington HS in 1961

Fabric store manager

Husband's first name is Roger. He is a carpenter & cement worker. They have 3 children, 2 girls & 1 boy.

Lives in Salem, Oregon

CHILD 3 - Vicky WINGERT-6604
Doc: Betty F.

Divorced, husband's last name was Edman, has 2 children--1 boy, 1 girl

Works in Minneapolis

Address: 1165 Trenton Circle North, Plymouth, MN 55441. Phone: 612-541-0720

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-344

13 Jul 1990

HUSBAND Orville Richard LEVERSON-571

BORN: 24 Apr 1925 PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,Minn.
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: PLACE:
FATHER: Samuel A. LEVERSON-35 PARENTS' MRIN: 163
MOTHER: Thora C. R. JENSEN-568

WIFE Luella-1229

BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

CHILDREN

1. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

2. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

3. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

4. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

Phone:

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-344
DOCUMENTATION

HUSBAND	Orville Richard LEVERSON-571	Yr of Birth 1925
WIFE	Luella-1229	Yr of Birth

HUSBAND - Orville Richard LEVERSON-571
Jackson Birth Register Book d,p. 235#27 Lives in Kensington, Minn.

WIFE - Luella-1229

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BORN: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: PLACE:
FATHER: [illegible] PARENTS' MARR: [illegible]
MOTHER: [illegible]

WIFE: [illegible]

BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

CHILDREN

1. NAME:
BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

2. NAME:
BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

3. NAME:
BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

4. NAME:
BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

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HUSBAND Kenneth Gene LEVERSON-572

BORN: 4 Feb 1927 PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,Minn.
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: PLACE:
FATHER: Samuel A. LEVERSON-35
PARENTS' MRIN: 163
MOTHER: Thora C. R. JENSEN-568

WIFE Alice-1230

BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

CHILDREN

1. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

2. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

3. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

4. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

Phone:

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-345
DOCUMENTATION

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HUSBAND Kenneth Gene LEVERSON-572 Yr of Birth 1927
WIFE Alice-1230 Yr of Birth

HUSBAND - Kenneth Gene LEVERSON-572
Jackson Birth Register,p. 259#20 Lives in Starbuck, Minn.

WIFE - Alice-1230

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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-164

29 Jul 1992

HUSBAND Harold Hilbert "Rusty" LEVERSON-573

BORN: 21 Jul 1929 PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 16 Jul 2014 PLACE: Fairmont, MN
BUR.: 21 Jul 2014 PLACE: Sherburn, MN St Luke's Catholic Cem.
MARR: 8 May 1954 PLACE: Fairmont, MN
FATHER: Samuel A. LEVERSON-35 PARENTS' MRIN: 163
MOTHER: Thora C. R. JENSEN-568

WIFE Marcia-574 Kerns

BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

CHILDREN

1. NAME: Ann LEVERSON-575
---- BORN: 1954 PLACE:
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Tom WHALEN-1236 MRIN: 349
MARR: PLACE:

2. NAME: Sue LEVERSON-576
---- BORN: Abt 1955 PLACE: Sherburn,,Minn.
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Kent ANDERSON-1239 MRIN: 350
MARR: PLACE:

3. NAME: Greg Paul LEVERSON-581
---- BORN: 29 Oct 1957 PLACE: Sherburn,Martin,Minn.
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Karen CHRISTIANSON-1244 MRIN: 352
MARR: 3 Sep 1988 PLACE:

4. NAME: Tina LEVERSON-577
---- BORN: Abt 1959 PLACE: Sherburn,,Minnesota
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Barry Hilgendorf
MARR: PLACE:

Phone:

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HUSBAND Harold Hilbert "Rusty" LEVERSON-573                                            Yr of Birth 1929
WIFE    Marcia-574                                                                     Yr of Birth
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CHILDREN (continued)
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 5. NAME: Ellen LEVERSON-578
---- BORN: Abt    1960         PLACE: Sherburn,,Minn.
 F   CHR.:                     PLACE:
     DIED:                     PLACE:
     BUR.:                     PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Eric LARSON-1243                                                     MRIN: 351
     MARR:                     PLACE:
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 6. NAME: Mark LEVERSON-579
---- BORN: Abt    1962         PLACE: Sherburn,,Minn.
 M   CHR.:                     PLACE:
     DIED:                     PLACE:
     BUR.:                     PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Lisa
     MARR:                     PLACE:
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 7. NAME: Mike LEVERSON-580
---- BORN: Abt    1963         PLACE: Sherburn,,Minn.
 M   CHR.:                     PLACE:
     DIED:                     PLACE:
     BUR.:                     PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Jacqueline
     MARR:                     PLACE:
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 8. NAME: Eric William LEVERSON-582
---- BORN: 19 Oct 1965         PLACE: Sherburn,Martin,Minn.
 M   CHR.:                     PLACE:
     DIED:                     PLACE:
     BUR.:                     PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Nancy
     MARR:                     PLACE:
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 9. NAME: Sara Jean LEVERSON-583
---- BORN: 16 Mar 1967         PLACE: Sherburn,,Minn.
 F   CHR.:                     PLACE:
     DIED:                     PLACE:
     BUR.:                     PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Brian Prcka
     MARR:                     PLACE:
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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-164
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HUSBAND Harold Hilbert "Rusty" LEVERSON-573 Yr of Birth 1929
WIFE Marcia-574 Yr of Birth

HUSBAND - Harold Hilbert "Rusty" LEVERSON-573

Jackson Birth Register Book D, p. 283#25 Owns & lives on family farm formerly belonging to his father, Sam Leverson

City Administrator & Treasurer in Sherburn for 21 years, retiring in 19__.

Called "Rusty" for his red hair, a prominent Leverson family characteristic

Information about family comes from Christmas letter received by Hazel Hartmann December 1987.

WIFE - Marcia-574

CHILD 1 - Ann LEVERSON-575

Lives in Gaylord, Minn. She is a Cosmetician.

CHILD 2 - Sue LEVERSON-576

Transcriptionist for a Pathology Lab.

CHILD 3 - Greg Paul LEVERSON-581

Doc: Rena's BD Book Lives in Eden Prairie, Minnesota
Graduated Mankato State College winter of 1987.

CHILD 4 - Tina LEVERSON-577

Divorced in 1987. Lives in Eden Prairie, Minn. Works as a Lab Technician for Family Physicians

CHILD 5 - Ellen LEVERSON-578

Lives in Plymouth, Minn.. First baby due Jan. '88.
Adm. Asst/Sec'y at Park Nicollet Medical Center.

CHILD 6 - Mark LEVERSON-579

Graduate of Air Force Academy, Colo. Springs, Colo.. Will be in Air Force until Aug.,1990. Works in Financial Management--works with computers. Getting undergraduate degree Bus. Mgmt./Computers Regis College June 1988.

CHILD 7 - Mike LEVERSON-580

Graduate Assistant Athletic Administration at Illinois State University in Normal, Ill.

CHILD 8 - Eric William LEVERSON-582

Doc: Rena's BD Book Does road construction. Lives in Sherburn.

CHILD 9 - Sara Jean LEVERSON-583

Graduated Mankato State College June 1989. Majored in Mass communication specch & public relations

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Children of
Helmer Leverson
&
Lucille Kelly
&
Their Children

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-157

6 Oct 1993

HUSBAND Everett COOK-539

BORN: Abt 1923 PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: Oct 1971 PLACE: Los Angeles,Los Angeles,CA
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: PLACE: ,,CA
FATHER:
MOTHER:

WIFE Marjorie Ann LEVERSON-537

BORN: 4 Oct 1922 PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER: Helmer LEVERSON-37 PARENTS' MRIN: 156
MOTHER: Lucille KELLY-536

CHILDREN

1. NAME: Michael COOK Ph.D.-540
---- BORN: 1950 PLACE: Los Angeles,Los Angeles,CA
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Nilda-1014 MRIN: 281
MARR: PLACE:

2. NAME: Patricia Ann COOK-541
---- BORN: PLACE: Los Angeles,Los Angeles,CA
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Steven EDWARDS-1017 MRIN: 282
MARR: 2 Aug 1975 PLACE:

3. NAME: Crista COOK-542
---- BORN: PLACE: Los Angeles,Los Angeles,CA
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Bryan EDWARDS-1020 MRIN: 283
MARR: PLACE:

4. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

Phone:

Phone:

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-157
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HUSBAND Everett COOK-539 Yr of Birth 1923
WIFE Marjorie Ann LEVERSON-537 Yr of Birth 1922

HUSBAND - Everett COOK-539
Doc: Family rec.

Moved to Jackson, Minn., with family in early adolescence

WIFE - Marjorie Ann LEVERSON-537
Doc: Family rec.

Named for maternal aunt. Always called Midge. Lived in Jackson until about 1940, then moved with parents to Los Angeles. Lives in Covina now.

CHILD 1 - Michael COOK Ph.D.-540
PhD in Educ.

CHILD 2 - Patricia Ann COOK-541
Always called "Tricia". Getting an A.D. degree

CHILD 3 - Crista COOK-542

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HUSBAND Keith Kelly LEVERSON-538
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BORN:   10 Jan 1925        PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
CHR.:                      PLACE:
DIED:      Oct 1985        PLACE: Los Angeles,Los Angeles,CA
BUR.:                      PLACE:
MARR:    5 Feb 1949        PLACE: ,,CA
FATHER: Helmer LEVERSON-37                                                   PARENTS' MRIN: 156
MOTHER: Lucille KELLY-536
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WIFE    Clarice Ann-1009
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BORN:                      PLACE:
CHR.:                      PLACE:
DIED:                      PLACE:
BUR.:                      PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:
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CHILDREN
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 1.  NAME: Mark LEVERSON-1010
---- BORN:                   PLACE: Los Angeles,Los Angeles,CA
 M   CHR.:                   PLACE:
     DIED:                   PLACE:
     BUR.:                   PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                   PLACE:
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 2.  NAME: Maria LEVERSON-1011
---- BORN:                   PLACE: Los Angeles,Los Angeles,CA
 F   CHR.:                   PLACE:
     DIED:                   PLACE:
     BUR.:                   PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                   PLACE:
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 3.  NAME: Matthew LEVERSON-1012
---- BORN:                   PLACE: Los Angeles,Los Angeles,CA
 M   CHR.:                   PLACE:
     DIED:                   PLACE:
     BUR.:                   PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                   PLACE:
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 4.  NAME: Marcia LEVERSON-1013
---- BORN:                   PLACE: Los Angeles,Los Angeles,CA
 F   CHR.:                   PLACE:
     DIED:                   PLACE:
     BUR.:                   PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                   PLACE:
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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-280
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HUSBAND Keith Kelly LEVERSON-538 Yr of Birth 1925
WIFE Clarice Ann-1009 Yr of Birth

HUSBAND - Keith Kelly LEVERSON-538
Favorite childhood cousin of RKF

WIFE - Clarice Ann-1009
Always called "Dollie"

CHILD 1 - Mark LEVERSON-1010
Was in Peace Corps in Yemen in 1986

CHILD 2 - Maria LEVERSON-1011
Is married

CHILD 3 - Matthew LEVERSON-1012

CHILD 4 - Marcia LEVERSON-1013

Children of

Serena Leverson

&

George King

&

Their Children

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 HUSBAND Donald George KING-14
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 BORN:   15 May 1922           PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
 CHR.:   21 Jun 1922           PLACE: OurSaviorsLuthCh,Jackson,MN
 DIED:                         PLACE:
 BUR.:                         PLACE:
 MARR:    1 Feb 1952           PLACE: Mason City,Serra Gordo,IA
 FATHER: Reginald George KING-12                                                      PARENTS' MRIN: 3
 MOTHER: Serena Josephine (Rena) LEVERSON-13
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 WIFE    Loila Arlene (Lou) HARDY-183
-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------
 BORN:   24 Jan 1923           PLACE: St. Paul,Ramsey,MN
 CHR.:      May 1937           PLACE: St. Paul,Ramsey,MN
 DIED:                         PLACE:
 BUR.:                         PLACE:
 FATHER:
 MOTHER:
===========================================================================================================
 CHILDREN
===========================================================================================================
  1.  NAME: Shirley Lou KING-913
 ---- BORN:  9 Feb 1944          PLACE: St. Paul,Ramsey,MN
  F   CHR.:                      PLACE:
      DIED:                      PLACE:
      BUR.:                      PLACE:
      SPOUSE: Gerald BERGER-3791                                                     MRIN: 1098
      MARR: Abt    1980(div)     PLACE: Hopkins,Hennepin,MN
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  2.  NAME: Karen Lynn KING-184
 ---- BORN: 13 May 1956          PLACE: Minneapolis,Hennepin,MN
  F   CHR.:        1956          PLACE: Hopkins,Hennepin,MN
      DIED:                      PLACE:
      BUR.:                      PLACE:
      SPOUSE: Paul Martin LANG-215                                                   MRIN: 52
      MARR: 21 Sep 1984          PLACE: Minneapolis,Hennepin,MN
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  3.  NAME: Robert George KING-185
 ---- BORN:  9 Oct 1958          PLACE: Minneapolis,Hennepin,MN
  M   CHR.:        1958          PLACE: Hopkins,Hennepin,MN
      DIED:                      PLACE:
      BUR.:                      PLACE:
      SPOUSE:
      MARR:                      PLACE:
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  4.  NAME:
 ---- BORN:                      PLACE:
      CHR.:                      PLACE:
      DIED:                      PLACE:
      BUR.:                      PLACE:
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HUSBAND Donald George KING-14 Yr of Birth 1922
WIFE Loila Arlene (Lou) HARDY-183 Yr of Birth 1923

HUSBAND - Donald George KING-14
Doc B/Chr: Jackson Co. Birth Rec. Book D, p. 206, item 170

Born at home. Named George for his father, also the name goes back many generations in the Hilton (King) family. Has lived in same home in Minnetonka, Minn. since August 1967.

Attended Junior College in Duluth, Minn., two years, from Dec. 1940 through Dec., 1941. Transferred to Duluth Business College, attended there through May 1942. Went to British Columbia to work on the AlCan Highway from June through December 1942. In March 1943 was appointed Cadet-Midshipman at United States Merchant Marine Academy in King's Point, Long Island, N.Y.. Graduated November 1944 as an Engineering Officer with commissions as Ensign, USNR (United States Naval Reserve--see file for doc.) & Ensign USMS (U S Maritime Service). Rec'd B.S.in Engineering. Returned to Duluth Junior College from Sept 1946 through March 1947. Between March & August 1947 worked as officer on Merchant Marine ship on Great Lakes to earn additional tuition. Transferred to Univ. of Minn. in Sept 1947, grad. Mar 1949 with B.B.A.degree, majoring in Accounting. Began work in the oilindustry in May 1949, worked for Union Oil Co. for 36 years, last position as Plant Manager in St. Paul, Minn.. Retired in August 1985.

Member of Zurah Shrine, Minneapolis Consistory (Scottish Rite), and Albert Pike(Blue)Lodge, Hopkins, Minn.

Master of carpentry & building skills, has devoted much time throughout life to creating beautiful homes for self & family. Soloist, singing tenor, bass & baritone for his church, Gethsemene Lutheran, in Hopkins, MN, for over 35 years. Enjoys golf.

WIFE - Loila Arlene (Lou) HARDY-183
Doc: Family rec. Exrensive genealogical history of the Hardy family is doc. in book in her possession

Parents were Raymond Rupert Hardy,who died 5 Dec 1971 in St. Paul, MN, & Grace Elma Compton, born 22 July 1900 in Gordon, MN, still alive & active in 1992. Brother Raymond Richard Hardy, b. 3 Feb 1926, St. Paul, MN, m. to Patricia, has 2 children: Sue, m. Dan ________, adopted baby in 1992. Husband is 1st Officer N.E. Airlines; Patricia (Trish), m. Craig _________, has several step-children by 3rd marriage. Broyher Ray worked many years as Sales Rep. for St. Paul Book & Stationery Co.

Born at home in same St. Paul, Minn. home mother still occupies.

Always called "Lou"

Attended St. Paul Monroe High School, graduated in 1941.

Married first to Beverley Butler in late 1943. Gave birth to daughter Shirley Lou 9 February 1944 . Marriage ended in divorce.

Worked as comptometer operator and other office positions with Engineering

HUSBAND Donald George KING-14 Yr of Birth 1922
WIFE Loila Arlene (Lou) HARDY-183 Yr of Birth 1923

Research Associates and Texaco. Continued working for Texaco after marriage to Don King until birth of daughter Karen in May 1956.

Starting about 1968, worked in several office positions in data processing. Continued this work until about 1986 when she retired.

CHILD 1 - Shirley Lou KING-913

Natural father was Beverley Butler. Her mother divorced him when she was very small. She & her mother lived with her maternal grandparents, Grace & Ray Hardy, in their St. Paul home until her mother married Don King in 1952. Legally adopted by Don King in 1953, when she was 9 years old

Second marriage to Stanley Plys, 18 April 1987, in Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. Lauderdale, Fla. There are no children of this marriage. They live near Minneapolis.

CHILD 2 - Karen Lynn KING-184

Doc: Family rec.

Born at Mount Sinai Hospital, Minneapolis, Minn. Lived as a child in Milwaukee, Wis.; Arlington Heights, Ill.; and Hopkins, Minn. Currently resides in Minnetonka, Minn.

Graduated from Eisenhower High School, Hopkins, in 1974. Attended Gustavus Adolphus for about a year, attended Arizona State University in Tempi, Az., completed about 3 1/2 years of college.

Worked as a Flight Attendant for Republic Airlines (later Northwest Airlines) about 5-6 years.

Married in St. Paul, reception at Amfac Hotel in Mpls.

CHILD 3 - Robert George KING-185

Doc: Family rec.

Graduated Eisenhower High School Hopkins, MN, 19__

Owns home on Lake Minnetonka

Carries two King family names: Robert, for his Uncle Robert Hilton King, & many generations before him; and George, for his Grandfather Reginald George King and, again, many King generations before him.

Married 15 March, 1989 to Kalleen Theresa Baker, born 2 Sep 1965, in Lahaina, Maui, Hawaii. Marriage ended in divorce in 1992. There were no children

Airline pilot, currently employed as Captain with Airvantage, a commercial freight & passenger carrying company which operates in the Midwest.

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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-44

29 Jul 1992

HUSBAND Robert Hilton KING II-15

BORN: 19 Jun 1923 PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
CHR.: 1923 PLACE: OurSaviorsLuthCh,Jackson,MN
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: 19 Aug 1950 PLACE: Minneapolis,Hennepin,MN
FATHER: Reginald George KING-12
PARENTS' MRIN: 3
MOTHER: Serena Josephine (Rena) LEVERSON-13

WIFE Phyllis Jean BEALL-186

BORN: 18 Feb 1929 PLACE: Minneapolis,Hennepin,MN
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

CHILDREN

1. NAME: William Porter KING-187
---- BORN: 1 Feb 1952 PLACE: Minneapolis,Hennepin,Minn.
M CHR.: 1952 PLACE: StJohnsLuthChch,Minneapolis,Minn.
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Peggy HIGHTOWER-202 MRIN: 48
MARR: 23 Jun 1974 PLACE: Omaha,Douglas,Neb.

2. NAME: Patricia Ann KING-188
---- BORN: 23 Jul 1953 PLACE: Omaha,Douglas,Neb.
F CHR.: 1953 PLACE: StJohnsLuthChch,Omaha,Neb.
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Paul LEIGHTON-804 MRIN: 49
MARR: 10 Aug 1975(div) PLACE: Omaha,,Neb.

3. NAME: Steven Philip KING-189
---- BORN: 10 Jun 1957 PLACE: Clarkson Hosp.,Omaha,Neb.
M CHR.: 1957 PLACE: Omaha,Douglas,Neb.
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Patricia Esther HART-205 MRIN: 50
MARR: 3 Mar 1979 PLACE: Chch OfThe Cross,Omaha,Nebraska

4. NAME: Susan Roberta KING-190
---- BORN: 1 Dec 1958 PLACE: Omaha,Douglas,Neb.
F CHR.: 1959 PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,Minn.
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Donovan Dean DAHL-211 MRIN: 51
MARR: 10 Nov 1979 PLACE: Chch OfThe Cross,Omaha,Neb.

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HUSBAND Robert Hilton KING II-15 Yr of Birth 1923
WIFE Phyllis Jean BEALL-186 Yr of Birth 1929

HUSBAND - Robert Hilton KING II-15

Doc B/Chr: Jackson County Birth Rec. book D, p. 217, item 174. Dr. Walter Halloran attended. Born at home.

Named for his Great-Grand-Uncle, Robert Hilton King (RIN# 58)

Attended Jr. College Duluth, Minn., for 1 year. Enlisted in US Navy at beginning of WW II, served several years as communications operator on Admiral Nimitz' staff based in Hawaii. Accepted into ROTC, graduated from Univ. of Colorado,1948. Degree was B.S. in Business Administration. Member of Phi Kappa Tau fraternity.

Manufacturer's representative in the packaging industry.

After marriage, lived first in Chicago, then moved & has lived lifetime in Omaha, Nebraska. Lives at 3055 South 160th Plaza, Omaha, Nebraska

Member of Tangier Shrine Temple, a philanthropic organization which exists for the purpose of providing free clinical assistance to crippled children & burn victims. Also member of Eastern Star.

Avid golfer, sports fan, esp. U of Nebraska football, & owner of recreational vehicle.

WIFE - Phyllis Jean BEALL-186

Doc: Family rec.

Parents were Philip Fitzallen Beall (b. 21 Dec 1899 in Minn.; d. 2 May 1951 Minneapolis, Minn.) & Olga Octavia Swanson (b. 3 Mar 1896, North St. Paul, MN; d. 5 Apr 1980 in Minneapolis, MN. Married 5 Jan 1928 Mpls., MN. Both buried Sunset Cemetery, Mpls.. He was in the Minnn.Infantry in WWI, did not serve overseas. He was a men's clothing salesman; seriously affected adversely by the "crash".

Has one sister, Joyce Carolyn Beall, (b. 8 Jan 1932 in Dawson, Minn.) Married 1952 in Mpls. to Robert Ware Sheplee (b. Dec 1931 in Minn.). Three children: Robert Ware Sheplee, Jr., b. 1953; Pamela Joy, b. abt. 1955; & Sheri Alison, b. 1958. All married: Rob has 3 children, Pam 2, Sheri,3. All living in Minnesota.

Attended U of Minn. for two years, majoring in mathematics. Worked for Proctor & Gamble in Mpls. doing general office work prior to marriage. After marriage worked in the bookkeeping department of Cullen & Crowther, an insurance agency in Mpls.

In 1952 moved with husband & baby (Bill) to Park Forest. Ill. Lived there until Nov. 1952; moved to Omaha, Neb., where they have resided ever since.

Taught pre-school for ten years at Presbyterian Church of the Cross; member of PEO Chapter FY (a philanthropic educational organization); Assistance League of Omaha (a non-profit organization dedicated to clothing children temporarily in

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HUSBAND Robert Hilton KING II-15 Yr of Birth 1923
WIFE Phyllis Jean BEALL-186 Yr of Birth 1929

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need); Daughter of the Nile (a Shrine related women's organization) & Eastern Star.

CHILD 1 - William Porter KING-187

Named for his Great-Grandfather, Willie Porter King . Born in Mpls., moved to Park Forest, Ill., as an infant, lived there until about 1 year old, moved to Omaha, Neb., with his parents, has resided there since.

A Real Estate Appraiser, has his own company named Appraiser's Inc.

Attends Christ Community Church in Omaha, Neb.

Avid golfer.

CHILD 2 - Patricia Ann KING-188

Birth: St. Catherine Hospital, Omaha, Neb. Attended public schools in Omaha through high school.

Patti earned a B.A. in Education at U of Neb in 1975 & an M.A. in Home Economics from Univ So.Dak in 1990. Teaches Home Economics & lives in own home with her 3 sons in Sioux City, Iowa

Married to Paul Leighton 10 Aug 1975 in Omaha, Neb. Divorced in 1986.

CHILD 3 - Steven Philip KING-189

Lives in Phoenix, Ariz. Manages & maintains large computer operations for corporations & businesses

CHILD 4 - Susan Roberta KING-190

Birth: Born at Clarkson Hospital, Omaha. Ruth & Jeff Freymann are God-parents.

Lives in Kenyon, Minn.

Licensed Practical Nurse. Works in nursing home part-time.

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HUSBAND John Gordon FREYMANN M.D.-1
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BORN:    9 Apr 1922          PLACE: Omaha,Douglas,Neb.
CHR.:   16 Apr 1922          PLACE: St.MaryMagdalene,Omaha,Neb.
DIED:                        PLACE:
BUR.:                        PLACE:
MARR:   16 Dec 1950          PLACE: Henn.Ave.Meth.Ch,Minneapolis,MN
FATHER: John Joseph FREYMANN M.D.-7                                                   PARENTS' MRIN: 2
MOTHER: Marion WICKS-8
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WIFE    Ruth Ellen KING-2
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BORN:   13 Nov 1924          PLACE: Jackson,Jackson,MN
CHR.:   21 Dec 1924          PLACE: OurSaviorsLuthCh,Jackson,MN
DIED:                        PLACE:
BUR.:                        PLACE:
FATHER: Reginald George KING-12                                                       PARENTS' MRIN: 3
MOTHER: Serena Josephine (Rena) LEVERSON-13
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CHILDREN
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 1.  NAME: Amanda Wicks FREYMANN-3
---- BORN: 14 Feb 1952           PLACE: Boston,Suffolk,Mass.
 F   CHR.: 15 Aug 1952           PLACE: OurSaviorsLuthCh,Jackson,Minn.
     DIED:                       PLACE:
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     MARR:                       PLACE:
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 2.  NAME: Martha Gordon FREYMANN-4
---- BORN: 22 Jun 1953           PLACE: Boston,Suffolk,Mass.
 F   CHR.: 16 Aug 1953           PLACE: ArlingtonStUniCh,Boston,Mass.
     DIED:                       PLACE:
     BUR.:                       PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Andrew Lehmann MISER PhD.-43                                             MRIN: 8
     MARR: 10 Aug 1974           PLACE: 37 Main Street,Farmington,Conn.
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 3.  NAME: Sarah Hilton FREYMANN-5
---- BORN: 11 Apr 1956           PLACE: Boston,Suffolk,Mass.
 F   CHR.: 14 Jul 1956           PLACE: FirstChchUnitar.,Wayland,Mass.
     DIED:                       PLACE:
     BUR.:                       PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Michael Scott FONTENOT M.D.-46                                           MRIN: 9
     MARR:  8 Aug 1981           PLACE: FstChChristCongo,Farmington,Conn.
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 4.  NAME: Vance Gordon King FREYMANN-6
---- BORN: 18 Jul 1959           PLACE: Boston,Suffolk,Mass.
 M   CHR.:       1960            PLACE: FirstChchUnitar.,Wayland,Mass.
     DIED:                       PLACE:
     BUR.:                       PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Anastasia McCormack LUBY-3350                                            MRIN: 953
     MARR: 12 Oct 1991           PLACE: Glen Manor,Portsmouth,R.I.
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HUSBAND - John Gordon FREYMANN M.D.-1

Birth: Lord Lister Hospital, Omaha, 9 Apr 1922.

Named for his father; also for his Gr-Gr-Grandfather, General John W. Gordon

Baptism: St.Mary Magdelene Church, Omaha, 16 Apr 1922. Sponsors Mr. & Mrs. John Martin Batschy (Jack Batschy was a local architect) & Dr. Frank Murphy (by proxy).

Residence: First lived at 22 Drake Court Apts. Moved about 1923 to 3222 Pacific St. and in 1937 to 321 South 53 St. Attended Field Club School (K - 8) except 1 & 2 grades at Our Lady of Lourdes School. Omaha Central High 1936-40.

Education: Yale Sept 1940 - Feb 1943, Harvard Medical School Mar 1943 - Mar 1946 (accelerated thru total 7 academic yrs. by World War II). Interned Mass General Hospital 1946-7.

Military service: Put thru med school by Navy (Apprentice Seaman, V-12, USNR). Transferred to U.S.Public Health Service for active duty 1947-49, most of it in Foreign Quarantine Div. in England, France, Germany, Austria, Palestine & Lebanon.

Marriage: met Ruth Ellen King while he was Fellow at Mayo Clinic & she was doing graduate nursing education at Rochester State Hospital, 15 Mar 1950. M. in Hennepin Ave. Methodist Church, Minneapolis, 16 Dec 1950. At that time was Asst. Resident at MGH in Boston, so couple settled at 127 Myrtle St on Beacon Hill.

Medical career: Finished residency 1951 & began research in radiation biology at Huntington Lab, MGH. Nat. Cancer Institute Fellow 1951-3; Damon Runyon Fellow 1953-4. On staff of Huntington & MGH 1954-9 continuing research & practicing oncology (altho latter term not coined at that time). Director of Medical Education, Memorial Hosp, Worcester, MA 1959-65. Merged Boston Lying-In & Free Hosp. for Women & became General Director, Boston Hosp for Women, 1965-69. Director of Education, Hartford Hosp 1969-75. President, Nat'l Fund for Medical Education 1975-87. Quarter-time professor of family medicine, U. Conn Med School 1987-91. Retired to work full-time on genealogy, etc. Aug 1991.

Residences: Moved to 455 Concord Rd, Weston, 1952. Built house at 18 County Corners Rd, Wayland in 1955 & lived there till 1969. Moved to 37 Main St., Farmington, CT & lived there till 1986. Then moved to condominium in Farmington Woods: 2 Catalpa Court, Avon.

WIFE - Ruth Ellen KING-2

Birth: Jackson County Birth Register Book D, p. 206, Item 170. Born at home at 5 AM (according to birth certificate). Attended by Dr. Walter Halloran.

Name has special meaning--first Ruth in family was her Great-Great-Great Grandmother Ruth Lyman (RIN #72). Name Ellen repeated in every King generation & before then of Hiltons, as far back as RKF's 3rd Great-Grand

mother Ellen (Nelly) Greenwood (RIN #182) Bearers of the name Ellen have usually been called "Nellie". Name Ellen also appears early in RKF Norwegian family records, the first one being Ellen Madsdatter Kleven, born 1697,RKF's 5th Great-Grandmother on her Kyllo side (RIN# 1354).

Baptism: Our Savior's Lutheran Church. Sponsors Mr. & Mrs. Arthur W. Reibel (Aunt & Uncle. Ann Reibel was Mother's twin sister); Irve R. King (Uncle--Father's brother); and Christine Leverson (Aunt--Mother's sister)

Residence: Lived entire childhood in Jackson, in a number of different homes. Most important two were on River Road (most of childhood) & White St.

Education: Attended Elementary, Junior & Senior High School in Jackson. Graduated in May, 1942. Received Graduate Nurse degree from University Of Minnesota School of Nursing 1947. Completed Advanced Certificate in Psychiatric Nursing Education, Univ.of Minn in 1950. Received Certificate in Group & Family Therapy from Hartford Family Institute, 1972.

Career: Head Nurse Jackson Municipal Hospital 1947-1948.Head Nurse Psychiatric Dept. Univ. of Minn. Hospitals 1948-1949. Field Work student then Head Nurse of Women's Admitting Ward, Rochester State Hospital, Rochester, Minn.,1949-1950. Head Nurse Medical Ward B-6, Bulfinch Building, Massachusetts General Hospital 1951. Involved in community work as volunteer 1952-1961, including service as board member for numerous terms on PTA, League of Women Voters, Wayland Democratic Town Committee, Greater Framingham Mental Health Association. President of Board of Directors, then Executive Director Greater Framingham Mental Health Association 1961-1969. Executive Director The Bridge (multiservice youth center youth center) West Hartford, Ct.,1972-1980. Instrumental in opening first shelter for runaway youth, Junction 1019, in West Hartford. President of Freymann-Rocklin, Inc.,(Education, Consultation & Training for non-profit agencies, especially child & family serving agencies) 1980-1989. Trainer & consultant for numerous non-profit organizations at local, regional, state & national levels, primary concentration on child,adolescent & family service agencies. Served on numerous boards of non-profit agencies, most recently as Fund Raising Chairperson for Ct. National Abortion Rights Action League, 1990-

Married: 4 PM in Chapel of Hennepin Avenue Methodist Church.(Aunt & Uncle, Hazel & Frank Percy, were members there). Minister: The Rev. Dwight Loder. Attendants: Kathryn Haglin (Nursing school classmate from Ironwood, Mich.,that same year married to Robert Nolan, M.D.) & Roy White, M.D., of New Orleans, La.(Resident in Internal Medicine 1949-1950 with JGF at Mayo Clinic). Ushers were Moye & Jarvis Freymann, brothers of the groom. Wedding was attended by 50 family members and friends. Reception held in private home nearby. A wedding supper party was hosted later at their home by Ann & Art Reibel. Wedding night was spent at the Lowell Inn in Stillwater, Minn. The following day the couple flew to Bermuda, where they honeymooned at a small resort named Mizzentop outside of Hamilton. Following the honeymoon, they flew to Boston, & established their first home in an apartment at 127 Myrtle St., where Jeff resumed his residency in Internal Medicine & Ruth soon was employed as head nurse of Ward B-6,Bullfinch Bldg., both at Mass. Gen'l. Hosp.

CHILD 1 - Amanda Wicks FREYMANN-3

HUSBAND John Gordon FREYMANN M.D.-1 Yr of Birth 1922
WIFE Ruth Ellen KING-2 Yr of Birth 1924

Born at Richardson House, Boston Lying-In Hospital. Born about 9 AM, weight 7# & 1/2 oz; length 19 1/2 inches. Parents living in apt. at 127 Myrtle St., Boston,Mass., at time of birth. Moved to 455 Concord Road, Weston,Mass., apartment in home of Chas. & Barbara Cummings,in June of 1952. Moved to new home parents built at 18 Country Corners Road, Wayland, Mass., spring of 1955. Moved with parents to 37 Main Street, Farmington, Conn. in June 1969, the same year she started college. Currently owns & lives in condominium at 23 Cameron St., Cambridge, Mass.

Named for her Great-Great-Grandmother Sarah Amanda Wicks Jennings (RIN #589).

Christened in Our Savior's Lutheran Church, Jackson, Minn., while visiting there with parents, summer of 1952. Godparents were grandparents George & Rena King (RIN # 12 & 13). Minister was Rev. Torvald Gunnerius Torvik.

Education: Attended nursery school, Kindergarten & First Grade at Little Folk Farm in Framingham, Mass. Attended & graduated from Wayland Elementary, Jr. & Sr. High Schools. Bachelor's Degree from Elmira College, Elmira, N.Y., in 1973. Majored in Art History. Has taken graduate level courses in Art Therapy.

Career: Professional clown (trained by former Ringling Bros. clown) performing in children's theater 1974-1976. Held various positions dealing with research & preparation of publications, including work for American Horticultural Society. Art Editor & Sr. Art Editor for textbooks, Houghton-Mifflin Publishers, several years. Currently Project Coordinator Bulfinch Press, Little-Brown & Co. (Time-Warner) in Boston, Mass.. Works closely with many famous artists. Was presented to Prince Charles & Princess Diana at Somerset Castle in 1991, at a special ceremony in recognition of the publication of his book of paintings.

CHILD 2 - Martha Gordon FREYMANN-4

Born at Boston Lying In Hospital. Parents living at 455 Concord Road, Weston,at time of her birth. Moved to 18 Country Corners Road, Wayland, Mass., in spring of 1955. Moved to 37 Main Street, Farmington, Mass., in June 1969, lived there through remainder of high school. Currently owns home at 277 Oxford St., Hartford, Ct.

Named for her Great-Great-Grandmother Martha Elizabeth Gordon (RIN #475).

Christened at Arlington Street Unitarian Church, Boston,Mass. Godparents were Uncle Jarvis Marion Freymann & Great Aunt Hazel Leverson Percy (later Hartmann)

Married in the garden of parents' home at 37 Main Street in Farmington. The 4PM ceremony was performed by the Rev. Harry Smith, cousin of Jody Miser (Mother of groom). Attendants were:Bridesmaids Amanda Wicks Freymann, Sarah Hilton Freymann (Martha's sisters), & Emily Miser (Andy's sister); Best Man Wendell Miser (Andy's twin brother). Ushers were James Miser (Andy's brother) & Vance Gordon King Freymann (Martha's brother). The reception after the ceremony was also held in the garden with 125 guests. A string trio played baroque music during the reception. Afterwards, a buffet supper was served to the 125 guests. Many family members, including both her grandmothers, were present.

Education: Attended Little Folk Farm nursery school in Framingham, Mass. Attended Elementary, Junior High & first two years of high school in Wayland public schools. Junior & Senior year high school Farminton High School, graduated June 1971. Bachelor's Degree from Kirkland College, Hamilton, N.Y., in 1975, major in American Studies. Masters Degree in Public Administration from Maxwell School, Syracuse University, in 1977.

Career: Employed for 8 years by City of Hartford, last position held (until May, 1990) as Assistant City Manager for Administrative Services. Currently self-employed part-time as Trainer & Consultant for public sector human service organizations & employees.

CHILD 3 - Sarah Hilton FREYMANN-5

Born at Richardson House, Boston Lying-In Hospital. Lived at 18 Country Corners Road, Wayland, Mass., from birth until moved with parents to 37 Main Street, Farmington, Ct., in June 1969. Currently owns home at 51 Wilkins St., Hamden, Mass.

Named for her Great-Grandmother Sigrid (Sarah) Husby (RIN #32), & Hilton for her Great-Great-Great-Grandmother Hannah Greenwood Hilton (RIN # 55).

Christened at First Church Unitarian, Wayland. Minister was the Rev.Dan Huntington Fenn. Godparents were aunt & uncle Phyllis & Bob King. Maternal Grandparents Rena & George King were also present at ceremony.

Married at First Church of Christ Congregational, Main Street, Farmington, by Episcopal priest John Corbiere. Attendants were Martha Freymann Miser (sister) Emily Miser (now Welch) (high school friend), Ann Mordecai (childhood friend) & Alison Brown (classmate at Univ. VT); groomsmen were Robert Bennett,M.D., Jeff Leavenworth, Doug Kasik & Andrew Miser(brother-in-law). Reception following the 4 PM ceremony was in the garden of her parents' home at 37 Main Street.Many family members attended, including both her grandmothers. Total number of guests was about 125.

Education: Attended Little Folk Farm nursery school in Framingham, Mass.Attended Elementary School & 7th Grade of Junior High School in Wayland, Mass. Completed 8th Grade & Senior High School in Farmington, graduated from high school in June 1974. Graduated with B.S.N. in Nursing University of Vermont, in May 1978. Received J.D. from University of Conn. Law School in May, 1990. Passed bar examination and was sworn in as an officer of the court December 7,1990 in New Haven, Ct.

Career: Employed in several nursing positions in hospitals in Boston & Dallas, Tx. Specialized in terminal in both intensive care units and hospice settings. Held positions with several law firms while attending law school. Currently employed by the law firm Carmody & Torrance in Waterbury, Ct., specializes in in cases dealing with medical malpractice.

CHILD 4 - Vance Gordon King FREYMANN-6

Born at Richardson House, Boston Lying-In Hospital. Lived with his parents at 18 Country Corners Road, Wayland, Mass., from birth until June 1969 when family moved to 37 Main Street, Farmington, Ct. Lived there until finished

high school, then lived in Evanston, Ill. during college & in Chicago for several years after that. Currently lives at 45 Olney St., Apt. #1, Providence, R.I.

Named for his Great-Uncle William Vance King (RIN # 23), Gordon for his father & his ancestors on the Gordon side.

Christened at First Church Unitarian, Wayland, Mass. Minister was the Rev. Dan Huntington Fenn. God-parents were paternal grandparents Marion & John Freymann.

Education: Attended Little Folk Farm nursery school, Framingham, Mass.;grades K-4 at Wayland, Mass.;grades 5 through high school at Farmington, Ct. Graduated high school in May 1977. Awarded Bachelor's Degree from Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill. in 1981, majored in Urban Design, Political Science & History.

Career: Held several marketing positions for architectural, engineering & land development organizations in Chicago & Hartford. Currently employed by Cutler Associates, Worcester, Mass. as Business Development Manager.

Marriage: Married at Glenn Manor at 3:30 PM. in a ceremony officiated by the Rev. Michael Cilli, Unitarian minister. Attendants were Best Man Andrew Lehmann Miser (Vance's brother-in-law); Maid of Honor Elizabeth Luby (Stacy's sister); Junior Bridesmaids Julia Meade Luby (Stacy's half-sister, known as M.J.) & Amanda Jennings Miser (Vance's niece & god-daughter). Ushers were Christopher & Timothy Luby (Stacy's brothers). Michael Fontenot (Vance's brother-in-law) played classical guitar pieces before & during the ceremony; Amanda Wicks Freymann (Vance's sister) read a poem as part of the ceremony. The wedding and the following reception and dinner were held both outdoors & indoors in a beautiful fall setting attended by 126 guests, most notably Vance's grandmother, Marion Wicks Freymann, at that time just three months short of her 100th birthday.

Children of

Elvin Leverson

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Laura Plaisance

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Their Children

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-284

13 Jul 1990

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HUSBAND Eugene EPSKY Sr.-1022
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DIED:                  PLACE:
BUR.:                  PLACE:
MARR:                  PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:
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WIFE   Noreen LEVERSON-584
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BORN:        1932      PLACE:
CHR.:                  PLACE:
DIED:                  PLACE:
BUR.:                  PLACE:
FATHER: Elvin Bernhard LEVERSON-40                                  PARENTS' MRIN: 165
MOTHER: Laura PLAISANCE-1021
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CHILDREN
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 1.  NAME: Eugene EPSKY Jr.-1023
---- BORN:                 PLACE:
 M   CHR.:                 PLACE:
     DIED:                 PLACE:
     BUR.:                 PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Cindy-1031                                             MRIN: 285
     MARR:                 PLACE:
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 2.  NAME: Mary EPSKY-1024
---- BORN:                 PLACE:
 F   CHR.:                 PLACE:
     DIED:                 PLACE:
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 3.  NAME: Carol EPSKY-1025
---- BORN:                 PLACE:
 F   CHR.:                 PLACE:
     DIED:                 PLACE:
     BUR.:                 PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Rick-1035                                              MRIN: 286
     MARR:                 PLACE:
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 4.  NAME: John EPSKY-1026
---- BORN:                 PLACE:
 M   CHR.:                 PLACE:
     DIED:                 PLACE:
     BUR.:                 PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                 PLACE:
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HUSBAND Eugene EPSKY Sr.-1022                                                                              Yr of Birth
WIFE    Noreen LEVERSON-584                                                                                Yr of Birth 1932
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CHILDREN (continued)
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 5.  NAME: Patty EPSKY-1027
---- BORN:                      PLACE:
 F   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Joe WOIDA-1038                                                                           MRIN: 287
     MARR: (div)                PLACE:
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 6.  NAME: Kathy EPSKY-1028
---- BORN:                      PLACE:
 F   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Joel EBNET-1042                                                                          MRIN: 288
     MARR:    Mar 1982          PLACE:
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 7.  NAME: Peggy EPSKY-1029
---- BORN:                      PLACE:
 F   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
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     SPOUSE:                                                                                          MRIN: 289
     MARR:                      PLACE:
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 8.  NAME: Linda EPSKY-1030
---- BORN:                      PLACE:
 F   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Calvin HAWLEY-1045                                                                       MRIN: 290
     MARR: Abt    Jul 1987      PLACE:
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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-284
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HUSBAND	Eugene EPSKY Sr.-1022	Yr of Birth
WIFE	Noreen LEVERSON-584	Yr of Birth 1932

HUSBAND - Eugene EPSKY Sr.-1022

WIFE - Noreen LEVERSON-584
Widowed. Remarried to Mr. ___________ in 1988. Betty Fredrickson knows new name & address.

CHILD 1 - Eugene EPSKY Jr.-1023

CHILD 2 - Mary EPSKY-1024

CHILD 3 - Carol EPSKY-1025

CHILD 4 - John EPSKY-1026

CHILD 5 - Patty EPSKY-1027

CHILD 6 - Kathy EPSKY-1028

CHILD 7 - Peggy EPSKY-1029

CHILD 8 - Linda EPSKY-1030

Children of
Olga Leverson
+
Joseph C. Budik
+
Their Children

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HUSBAND Robert Charles BUDIK-562
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BORN:    1 May 1928         PLACE: Redwood Falls,Redwood,MN
CHR.:                       PLACE:
DIED:                       PLACE:
BUR.:                       PLACE:
MARR:   (div)               PLACE:                                                  has other marriage(s)
FATHER: Joseph Charles BUDIK D.D.S.-560                                             PARENTS' MRIN: 161
MOTHER: Olga Erina LEVERSON-41
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WIFE   Gloria-1047
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BORN:                       PLACE:
CHR.:                       PLACE:
DIED:                       PLACE:
BUR.:                       PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:
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CHILDREN
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 1.  NAME: Thomas R. "Tom" BUDIK-1048
---- BORN: 27 Aug 1952          PLACE:
 M   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:                                              has other marriage(s)
     SPOUSE: Susan K. SCHWACH-5222                                                  MRIN: 1473
     MARR:                      PLACE:
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 2.  NAME: Judy Ann BUDIK-1050
---- BORN: 14 Feb 1959          PLACE:
 F   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                      PLACE:
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 3.  NAME: Jeanne L. BUDIK-1051
---- BORN:  7 Oct 1960          PLACE:
 F   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Raymond A. PURAL-1232                                                  MRIN: 1192
     MARR:                      PLACE:
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 4.  NAME: Robert BUDIK Jr.-1231
---- BORN: 22 May 1961          PLACE:
 M   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                      PLACE:
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HUSBAND Robert Charles BUDIK-562 Yr of Birth 1928
WIFE Gloria-1047 Yr of Birth

CHILDREN (continued)

5. NAME: Mary Susan BUDIK-1049
---- BORN: 12 Feb 1972 PLACE:
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Daryl COONS-5225 MRIN: 1475
MARR: (div) PLACE:

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DOCUMENTATION

HUSBAND	Robert Charles BUDIK-562	Yr of Birth 1928
WIFE	Gloria-1047	Yr of Birth

HUSBAND - Robert Charles BUDIK-562

Doc: Family rec.

Lives in Phoenix, AZ for 11 years; now lives in Las Vegas, NV, also in Fox Lake, IL.

Lives 5 blocks from Caesar's Palace. He & wife "like to gamble"

Other marriages:

Heidi-5221	MRIN: 1472

WIFE - Gloria-1047

Lives in Louisville, Ky. Hazel has her address

CHILD 1 - Thomas R. "Tom" BUDIK-1048

Doc: Mo Gloria Budik

Other marriages:

Sharon-5224	MRIN: 1474

CHILD 2 - Judy Ann BUDIK-1050

Doc: Mo Gloria Budik

CHILD 3 - Jeanne L. BUDIK-1051

Doc: Mo Gloria Budik

CHILD 4 - Robert BUDIK Jr.-1231

Doc: Family rec. Not mentioned by mother in info. passed along in 1994 to Betty Fredrickson

CHILD 5 - Mary Susan BUDIK-1049

Doc: Mo Gloria Budik

Divorced "years ago". Lives in Coon Rapids, MN

Journalist, writes publicity

FAMILY GROUP RECORD [illegible]

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HUSBAND: [illegible]

BORN: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]
CHR.: PLACE:
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MARR.: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]
FATHER: [illegible]
MOTHER: [illegible]

WIFE: [illegible]

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CHILDREN

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HUSBAND Richard BUDIK-564
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BORN:   26 Feb 1935           PLACE: Redwood Falls,Redwood,MN
CHR.:                         PLACE:
DIED:   19 Nov 1994           PLACE: Spokane,Spokane,WA
BUR.:                         PLACE:
MARR:   (div)                 PLACE:                                       has other marriage(s)
FATHER: Joseph Charles BUDIK D.D.S.-560                                    PARENTS' MRIN: 161
MOTHER: Olga Erina LEVERSON-41
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WIFE    Roberta "Bobby"-1052
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BORN:                         PLACE:
CHR.:                         PLACE:
DIED:                         PLACE:
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FATHER:
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CHILDREN
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 1.  NAME: Mark R. BUDIK-4042
---- BORN:                      PLACE:
 M   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                      PLACE:
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 2.  NAME: Pamela Sue BUDIK-4041
---- BORN:                      PLACE:
 F   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                      PLACE:
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 3.  NAME: Joseph BUDIK-4040
---- BORN:                      PLACE:
 M   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
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     MARR:                      PLACE:
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 4.  NAME: Carrie BUDIK-3971
---- BORN:                      PLACE:
 F   CHR.:                      PLACE:
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HUSBAND Richard BUDIK-564                                                            Yr of Birth 1935
WIFE    Roberta "Bobby"-1052                                                         Yr of Birth
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CHILDREN (continued)
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 5.  NAME: Sandra BUDIK-3973
---- BORN:                  PLACE:
 F   CHR.:                  PLACE:
     DIED:                  PLACE:
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     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                  PLACE:
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 6.  NAME: Christopher BUDIK-3972
---- BORN:                  PLACE:
 M   CHR.:                  PLACE:
     DIED:                  PLACE:
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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-292
DOCUMENTATION

HUSBAND	Richard BUDIK-564	Yr of Birth 1935
WIFE	Roberta "Bobby"-1052	Yr of Birth

HUSBAND - Richard BUDIK-564

Doc: Family rec.

Death: Letter from his brother David (Xmas 1994) states "...sudden death of brother Dick on November 19, 1994. He found out on October that he had cancer of the liver which turned out to be inoperative..."

Address at time of death South 8900 Mullen Hill Road #696 Spokane WA. Tel # 509-448-6835

Other marriages:

Abt	1978	Judy-1053	MRIN: 293
Aft	1980	Shirleen-5215	MRIN: 1469

WIFE - Roberta "Bobby"-1052

Doc: Family rec.

CHILD 1 - Mark R. BUDIK-4042

Doc: Family rec.

CHILD 2 - Pamela Sue BUDIK-4041

Doc: Family rec.

CHILD 3 - Joseph BUDIK-4040

Doc: Family rec.

CHILD 4 - Carrie BUDIK-3971

Doc: Family rec.

CHILD 5 - Sandra BUDIK-3973

Doc: Family rec.

CHILD 6 - Christopher BUDIK-3972

Doc: Family rec.

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HUSBAND David BUDIK-563
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BORN:   27 Aug 1936         PLACE: Redwood Falls,Redwood,MN
CHR.:                       PLACE:
DIED:                       PLACE:
BUR.:                       PLACE:
MARR:    4 Mar 1960         PLACE: Brookings,Brookings,SD
FATHER: Joseph Charles BUDIK D.D.S.-560                                             PARENTS' MRIN: 161
MOTHER: Olga Erina LEVERSON-41
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WIFE    Jean Margaret UNZEITIG-1054
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BORN:                       PLACE:
CHR.:                       PLACE:
DIED:                       PLACE:
BUR.:                       PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:
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CHILDREN
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 1.  NAME: Terry Jean BUDIK-1055
---- BORN:  7 Oct 1960          PLACE: Redwood Falls,Redwood,MN
 F   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Martin HEISEL-4027                                                     MRIN: 1172
     MARR: 29 May 1988          PLACE: Seattle,King,WA
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 2.  NAME: Jay David BUDIK-1056
---- BORN:  7 Oct 1961          PLACE: Redwood Falls,Redwood,MN
 M   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Catherine CULBERSON-4024                                               MRIN: 1171
     MARR: 18 Sep 1982          PLACE: Denver,Denver,CO
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 3.  NAME:
---- BORN:                      PLACE:
     CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
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 4.  NAME:
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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-294
DOCUMENTATION

HUSBAND David BUDIK-563 Yr of Birth 1936
WIFE Jean Margaret UNZEITIG-1054 Yr of Birth

HUSBAND - David BUDIK-563

Doc: Family rec. Born & grew up in Redwood Falls, MN.

Employed in Soc. Serv. Administration in Denver for a number of years.

Lived in Colorado for a number of years. Left there Dec 1979, moved to Seattle, WA. Retired 1991, relocated to Shelton, WA, a small town 70 miles west of Seattle. Currently (Xmas letter 1994) living in Park Rapids, MN, moved there in June 1994.

Hobby is making & selling artistic objects made with lathe & power saw

Has traced extensive genealogy of Budik ancestors (See file for copy--also his father's FGR)

WIFE - Jean Margaret UNZEITIG-1054

Doc: Family rec.

Operates a business called the Yarn Basket in Park Rapids, MN.

CHILD 1 - Terry Jean BUDIK-1055

Doc: Father's letter. Living in Orchard, Colorado

CHILD 2 - Jay David BUDIK-1056

Doc: Family rec. Lives in Thornton, Colorado

Grandchildren of
Charles Leverson & Lena Olson
+
Their Children

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-1107

28 Jul 1992

HUSBAND Luane JOHNSON-3818

BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: 7 Sep 1951 PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

WIFE Joyce Lareen LEVERSON-3142

BORN: 4 Apr 1931 PLACE: Odin,Martin,MN
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER: Floyd Gordon LEVERSON-556 PARENTS' MRIN: 864
MOTHER: Hazel V.-3141

CHILDREN

1. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-1107
DOCUMENTATION

HUSBAND	Luane JOHNSON-3818	Yr of Birth
WIFE	Joyce Lareen LEVERSON-3142	Yr of Birth 1931

HUSBAND - Luane JOHNSON-3818
Source: Ruth Leverson Harder

WIFE - Joyce Lareen LEVERSON-3142
Source: Ruth Leverson Hardert. Lives in Odin. She & husband breed & sell horses, have a large horse fair every year.

Has child or children--need to complete data

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-1105

28 Jul 1992

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HUSBAND Gene FOSSUM-3816
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BORN:      Apr 1938         PLACE:
CHR.:                       PLACE:
DIED:                       PLACE:
BUR.:                       PLACE:
MARR:   22 Jun 1974         PLACE: Odin,Martin,MN
FATHER:
MOTHER:
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WIFE    Rosalyn Jean HARDER-3815
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BORN:   22 May 1941         PLACE: Odin,Martin,MN
CHR.:                       PLACE:
DIED:                       PLACE:
BUR.:                       PLACE:
FATHER: Cornelius C. HARDER-2299                           PARENTS' MRIN: 650
MOTHER: Ruth Geneva LEVERSON-1261
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CHILDREN
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 1.  NAME:
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     DIED:                     PLACE:
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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-1105
DOCUMENTATION

HUSBAND	Gene FOSSUM-3816	Yr of Birth 1938
WIFE	Rosalyn Jean HARDER-3815	Yr of Birth 1941

HUSBAND - Gene FOSSUM-3816

Source: Ruth Leverson Harder.

He has been a school principal in Worthington. Not certain whether he is there now.

WIFE - Rosalyn Jean HARDER-3815

Source: Ruth Leverson Harder, her mother

Born in Mountain Lake Hospital. She was prematurely born. Her mother stayed in the hospital with her for 2 months; Rosalyn was kept there an additional 6 weeks.

Taught school 12 years in Minneapolis . Has no children.

Has extensive collection of (stuffed) bears & antiques

Sixth Generation
Leverson

Grandchildren of
Helen Leverson & George Ludvigsen
&
Their Children

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-151

22 May 1990

HUSBAND Roger HOLMES-108

BORN: 12 Apr 1953 PLACE: New Brighton,Ramsey ~~Co.~~,Minn.
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: 2 Aug 1974 PLACE: Minneapolis,Hennepin,Minn.
FATHER:
MOTHER:

WIFE Jane FREDRICKSON-196

BORN: 4 Aug 1952 PLACE: Minneapolis,Hennepin,Minn.
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER: Harold FREDRICKSON-193 PARENTS' MRIN: 150
MOTHER: Betty LUDVIGSEN-194

CHILDREN

1. NAME: Emily Joy HOLMES-253
---- BORN: 15 Jan 1976 PLACE: Minneapolis,Hennepin ~~Co.~~,Minn.
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

2. NAME: Kathryn Louise HOLMES-244
---- BORN: 1 Mar 1979 PLACE: Salem, Va
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

3. NAME: Erik Stuart HOLMES-360
---- BORN: 19 Apr 1984 PLACE: Minneapolis,Hennepin ~~Co.~~,Min~~nesota~~
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

4. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
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MARR: PLACE:

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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-151
DOCUMENTATION

HUSBAND	Roger HOLMES-108	Yr of Birth 1953
WIFE	Jane FREDRICKSON-196	Yr of Birth 1952

Where married ?

HUSBAND - Roger HOLMES-108
Parents James Holmes & Grace Nimmer (Holmes)

WIFE - Jane FREDRICKSON-196

CHILD 1 - Emily Joy HOLMES-253

CHILD 2 - Kathryn Louise HOLMES-244

CHILD 3 - Erik Stuart HOLMES-360

History on Jane
Address
Kid's school status

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Grandchildren of

Samuel Leverson & Thora Jensen

&

Their Children

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HUSBAND Greg Paul LEVERSON-581
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BORN:    29 Oct 1957         PLACE: Sherburn,Martin,Minn.
CHR.:                        PLACE:
DIED:                        PLACE:
BUR.:                        PLACE:
MARR:     3 Sep 1988         PLACE:
FATHER: Harold Hilbert "Rusty" LEVERSON-573                                 PARENTS' MRIN: 164
MOTHER: Marcia-574
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WIFE    Karen CHRISTIANSON-1244
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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-352
DOCUMENTATION

HUSBAND	Greg Paul LEVERSON-581	Yr of Birth 1957
WIFE	Karen CHRISTIANSON-1244	Yr of Birth

HUSBAND - Greg Paul LEVERSON-581

Doc: Rena's BD Book Lives in Eden Prairie, Minnesota
Graduated Mankato State College winter of 1987.

WIFE - Karen CHRISTIANSON-1244

FAMILY GROUP RECORD [illegible]

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FATHER:
MOTHER:

WIFE:　Eliza LEVERTON-[illegible]

BORN:　[illegible]　[illegible]　　PLACE: [illegible], [illegible]
CHR.:　　PLACE:
DIED:　　PLACE:
BUR.:　　PLACE:
FATHER: [illegible] LEVERTON-[illegible]　　PARENTS' FAM: [illegible]
MOTHER: [illegible]

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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-351

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HUSBAND Eric LARSON-1243

BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

WIFE Ellen LEVERSON-578

BORN: Abt 1960 PLACE: Sherburn,,Minn.
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER: Harold LEVERSON-573 PARENTS' MRIN: 164
MOTHER: Marcia-574

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DOCUMENTATION

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HUSBAND Eric LARSON-1243 Yr of Birth
WIFE Ellen LEVERSON-578 Yr of Birth 1960

HUSBAND - Eric LARSON-1243

WIFE - Ellen LEVERSON-578
Lives in Plymouth, Minn.. First baby due Jan. '88.
Adm. Asst/Sec'y at Park Nicollet Medical Center.

HUSBAND [illegible]

BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR.: PLACE:
SPOUSES:
PARENTS:

WIFE [illegible]

BORN: 1874 PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSES: [illegible]
PARENTS: [illegible] [illegible]

CHILDREN

1. NAME: [illegible]
   BORN: [illegible] PLACE:
   CHR.: PLACE:
   DIED: PLACE:
   BUR.: PLACE:
   SPOUSE:
   MARR.: PLACE:

2. NAME: [illegible]
   BORN: [illegible] PLACE:
   CHR.: PLACE:
   DIED: PLACE:
   BUR.: PLACE:
   SPOUSE:
   MARR.: PLACE:

3. NAME:
   BORN: PLACE:
   CHR.: PLACE:
   DIED: PLACE:
   BUR.: PLACE:
   SPOUSE:
   MARR.: PLACE:

4. NAME:
   BORN: PLACE:
   CHR.: PLACE:
   DIED: PLACE:
   BUR.: PLACE:
   SPOUSE:
   MARR.: PLACE:

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-349

22 May 1990

HUSBAND Tom WHALEN-1236

BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

WIFE Ann LEVERSON-575

BORN: 1954 PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER: Harold LEVERSON-573
MOTHER: Marcia-574

PARENTS' MRIN: 164

CHILDREN

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1. NAME: Matt WHALEN-1237
---- BORN: Abt 1978 PLACE:
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

2. NAME: Jessica WHALEN-1238
---- BORN: Abt 1981 PLACE:
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

3. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

Others ??

4. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

Phone:

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-349
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HUSBAND	Tom WHALEN-1236	Yr of Birth
WIFE	Ann LEVERSON-575	Yr of Birth 1954

HUSBAND - Tom WHALEN-1236
Hog Buyer for Hormel.

WIFE - Ann LEVERSON-575
Lives in Gaylord, Minn. She is a Cosmetician.

CHILD 1 - Matt WHALEN-1237

CHILD 2 - Jessica WHALEN-1238

[illegible]

BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

[illegible]

BORN: [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER: [illegible]
MOTHER: [illegible]

CHILDREN

1. [illegible]
BORN: [illegible] PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

2. [illegible]
BORN: [illegible] PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

3. [illegible]
BORN: [illegible] PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

4. NAME:
BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-350

22 May 1990

HUSBAND Kent ANDERSON-1239

BORN: [redacted] PLACE: [redacted]
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: [redacted] PLACE: [redacted]
FATHER:
MOTHER:

WIFE Sue LEVERSON-576

BORN: Abt 1955 PLACE: Sherburn,,Minne~~sota~~
CHR.: [redacted] PLACE: [redacted]
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER: Harold LEVERSON-573 PARENTS' MRIN: 164
MOTHER: Marcia-574

CHILDREN

1. NAME: Erin ANDERSON-1240
---- BORN: Jan 1980 PLACE: [redacted]
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

2. NAME: Tony ANDERSON-1241
---- BORN: Feb 1981 PLACE: [redacted]
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

3. NAME: Adam ANDERSON-1242
---- BORN: May 1982 PLACE: [redacted]
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

4. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

Others??

Phone:

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-350
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22 May 1990

HUSBAND Kent ANDERSON-1239 Yr of Birth
WIFE Sue LEVERSON-576 Yr of Birth 1955

HUSBAND - Kent ANDERSON-1239
Buyer for Sustad Co. Lives in Sioux Falls, So.Dak.

WIFE - Sue LEVERSON-576
Married to Kent Anderson. Lives in Sioux Falls, N.Dak.. He is a buyer for Sustad Co.; she is a Transcriptionist at a Pathology Lab. Have 3 children: Erin, 8 in Jan '88; Tony, 7 in Feb '88; Adam, 6 in May '88.

CHILD 1 - Erin ANDERSON-1240

CHILD 2 - Tony ANDERSON-1241

CHILD 3 - Adam ANDERSON-1242

Grandchildren of

Helmer Leverson & Lucille Kelly

&

Their Children

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-281

22 May 1990

HUSBAND Michael COOK Ph.D.-540

BORN: 1950 PLACE: Los Angeles,,Calif.
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: PLACE:
FATHER: Everett COOK-539 PARENTS' MRIN: 157
MOTHER: Marjorie Ann LEVERSON-537

WIFE Nilda-1014

BORN: PLACE: ,,Puerto Rico
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

CHILDREN

1. NAME: Michael COOK-1015
---- BORN: PLACE:
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

2. NAME: David COOK-1016
---- BORN: PLACE:
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

3. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

4. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

Others??

Phone:

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-281
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HUSBAND Michael COOK Ph.D.-540 Yr of Birth 1950
WIFE Nilda-1014 Yr of Birth

HUSBAND - Michael COOK Ph.D.-540
PhD in Educ. Where? When? Work history

WIFE - Nilda-1014
Hers ? When came to mainland? Why?

CHILD 1 - Michael COOK-1015

CHILD 2 - David COOK-1016

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[illegible]

BIRTH: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DEATH: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR.: 8 Aug 1571 PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

WIFE: [illegible]

BIRTH: PLACE: [illegible]
CHR.: PLACE:
DEATH: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER: [illegible] PARENTS' MARR: [illegible]
MOTHER: [illegible]

CHILDREN

1. [illegible]
   - BIRTH: PLACE:
   - CHR.: PLACE:
   - DEATH: PLACE:
   - BUR.: PLACE:
   - SPOUSE:
   - MARR: PLACE:

2. [illegible]
   - BIRTH: PLACE:
   - CHR.: PLACE:
   - DEATH: PLACE:
   - BUR.: PLACE:
   - SPOUSE:
   - MARR: PLACE:

3. [illegible]
   - BIRTH: PLACE:
   - CHR.: PLACE:
   - DEATH: PLACE:
   - BUR.: PLACE:
   - SPOUSE:
   - MARR: PLACE:

4. [illegible]
   - BIRTH: PLACE:
   - CHR.: PLACE:
   - DEATH: PLACE:
   - BUR.: PLACE:
   - SPOUSE:
   - MARR: PLACE:

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-282

22 May 1990

HUSBAND Steven EDWARDS-1017

BORN: [redacted] PLACE: [redacted]
CHR.: [redacted] PLACE: [redacted]
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: 2 Aug 1975 PLACE: [redacted]
FATHER:
MOTHER:

WIFE Patricia Ann COOK-541

BORN: [redacted] PLACE: Los Angeles,,Calif.
CHR.: [redacted] PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER: Everett COOK-539 PARENTS' MRIN: 157
MOTHER: Marjorie Ann LEVERSON-537

CHILDREN

1. NAME: Jon EDWARDS-1018
---- BORN: [redacted] PLACE: [redacted]
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

2. NAME: Christopher EDWARDS-1019
---- BORN: [redacted] PLACE: [redacted]
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

3. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

Others?

4. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

Phone:

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-282
DOCUMENTATION

HUSBAND Steven EDWARDS-1017 Yr of Birth
WIFE Patricia Ann COOK-541 Yr of Birth

HUSBAND - Steven EDWARDS-1017 Any data him??

WIFE - Patricia Ann COOK-541
Always called "Tricia". Getting an A.D. degree Did she? Where? When?
Work history

CHILD 1 - Jon EDWARDS-1018

CHILD 2 - Christopher EDWARDS-1019

Grandchildren of

Serena Leverson & George King

&

Their Children

(See King File)

Great-Grandchildren of Olga Leverson + Joseph C. Budik
+ their children - -

Grandchildren of Robert Budik + Gloria

Tom Budik + Susan Schwach

Tom Budik + Sharon

Grandchildren of Richard Budik + "Bobby"

Grandchildren of David Budik + Jeanne Unzeitig

Terry Jean Budik + Martin Heisel

Jay David Budik + Catherine Culberson

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-1473

27 Sep 1995

HUSBAND Thomas R. "Tom" BUDIK-1048

BORN: 27 Aug 1952 PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: PLACE:
FATHER: Robert Charles BUDIK-562
MOTHER: Gloria-1047

has other marriage(s)
PARENTS' MRIN: 291

WIFE Susan K. SCHWACH-5222

BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

CHILDREN

1. NAME: Robert C. BUDIK-3963
---- BORN: 1977 PLACE:
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

2. NAME: Andrew J. BUDIK-3962
---- BORN: 1979 PLACE:
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

3. NAME: Robyn Lynn BUDIK-3961
---- BORN: 1981 PLACE:
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

4. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-1473
DOCUMENTATION

HUSBAND Thomas R. "Tom" BUDIK-1048 Yr of Birth 1952
WIFE Susan K. SCHWACH-5222 Yr of Birth

HUSBAND - Thomas R. "Tom" BUDIK-1048
Doc: Mo Gloria Budik

Other marriages:
Sharon-5224 MRIN: 1474

WIFE - Susan K. SCHWACH-5222
Doc: Family rec.

CHILD 1 - Robert C. BUDIK-3963
Doc: Family rec.

CHILD 2 - Andrew J. BUDIK-3962
Doc: Family rec.

CHILD 3 - Robyn Lynn BUDIK-3961
Doc: Family rec.

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-[illegible]

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HUSBAND [illegible]

BORN: [illegible] PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: PLACE: [illegible]
FATHER: [illegible] [illegible]
MOTHER: [illegible]

WIFE: [illegible]

BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

CHILDREN

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1. [illegible]
BORN: [illegible] PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

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2. [illegible]
BORN: [illegible] PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

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3. NAME:
BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

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4. NAME:
BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-1474

27 Sep 1995

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HUSBAND Thomas R. "Tom" BUDIK-1048
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BORN:   27 Aug 1952      PLACE:
CHR.:                    PLACE:
DIED:                    PLACE:
BUR.:                    PLACE:
MARR:                    PLACE:                                               has other marriage(s)
FATHER: Robert Charles BUDIK-562                                              PARENTS' MRIN: 291
MOTHER: Gloria-1047
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WIFE    Sharon-5224
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BORN:                    PLACE:
CHR.:                    PLACE:
DIED:                    PLACE:
BUR.:                    PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:
==================================================================================================
CHILDREN
==================================================================================================
 1.  NAME: Stuart Preston BUDIK-4140
---- BORN:        1971          PLACE:
 M   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                      PLACE:
--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------
 2.  NAME: Tracy Preston BUDIK-5223
---- BORN:        1972          PLACE:
 F   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                      PLACE:
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 3.  NAME:
---- BORN:                      PLACE:
     CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                      PLACE:
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 4.  NAME:
---- BORN:                      PLACE:
     CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                      PLACE:
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HUSBAND	Thomas R. "Tom" BUDIK-1048	Yr of Birth 1952
WIFE	Sharon-5224	Yr of Birth

HUSBAND - Thomas R. "Tom" BUDIK-1048
Doc: Mo Gloria Budik

Other marriages:
Susan K. SCHWACH-5222 MRIN: 1473

WIFE - Sharon-5224
Doc: Mo-in-law Gloria Budik

CHILD 1 - Stuart Preston BUDIK-4140
Doc: Family rec.

CHILD 2 - Tracy Preston BUDIK-5223
Doc: Grmthr. Gloria Budik

HUSBAND [illegible]

BORN:　　PLACE:
CHR.:　　PLACE:
MARR.:　　PLACE:
DIED:　　PLACE:
BUR.:　　PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

WIFE [illegible]

BORN: [illegible]　　PLACE:
CHR.:　　PLACE:
DIED:　　PLACE:
BUR.:　　PLACE:
FATHER: [illegible]　　[illegible]
MOTHER: [illegible]

CHILDREN

1. [illegible]
BORN: [illegible]　　PLACE:
CHR.:　　PLACE:
DIED:　　PLACE:
BUR.:　　PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR.:　　PLACE:

2. [illegible]
BORN: [illegible]　　PLACE:
CHR.:　　PLACE:
DIED:　　PLACE:
BUR.:　　PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR.:　　PLACE:

3. [illegible]
BORN: [illegible]　　PLACE:
CHR.:　　PLACE:
DIED:　　PLACE:
BUR.:　　PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR.:　　PLACE:

4. [illegible]
BORN:　　PLACE:
CHR.:　　PLACE:
DIED:　　PLACE:
BUR.:　　PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR.:　　PLACE:

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-1192

27 Sep 1995

HUSBAND Raymond A. PURAL-1232

BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

WIFE Jeanne L. BUDIK-1051

BORN: 7 Oct 1960 PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER: Robert Charles BUDIK-562 PARENTS' MRIN: 291
MOTHER: Gloria-1047

CHILDREN

1. NAME: Ryan M. PURAL-3970
---- BORN: 1983 PLACE:
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

2. NAME: David M. PURAL-3969
---- BORN: 1986 PLACE:
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

3. NAME: Kristen L. PURAL-3967
---- BORN: 1990 PLACE:
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

4. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-1192
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HUSBAND	Raymond A. PURAL-1232	Yr of Birth
WIFE	Jeanne L. BUDIK-1051	Yr of Birth 1960

HUSBAND - Raymond A. PURAL-1232
Doc: Family rec.

WIFE - Jeanne L. BUDIK-1051
Doc: Mo Gloria Budik

CHILD 1 - Ryan M. PURAL-3970
Doc: Family rec.

CHILD 2 - David M. PURAL-3969
Doc: Family rec.

CHILD 3 - Kristen L. PURAL-3967
Doc: Family rec.

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-1475

27 Sep 1995

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HUSBAND Daryl COONS-5225
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BORN:       1947          PLACE:
CHR.:                     PLACE:
DIED:                     PLACE:
BUR.:                     PLACE:
MARR:   (div)             PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:
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WIFE    Mary Susan BUDIK-1049
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BORN:   12 Feb 1972       PLACE:
CHR.:                     PLACE:
DIED:                     PLACE:
BUR.:                     PLACE:
FATHER: Robert Charles BUDIK-562                                                   PARENTS' MRIN: 291
MOTHER: Gloria-1047
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CHILDREN
====================================================================================================
 1.  NAME: Tama COONS-5226
---- BORN:        1976          PLACE:
 F   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                      PLACE:
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 2.  NAME: Jeremy COONS-5227
---- BORN:        1978          PLACE:
 M   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                      PLACE:
----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------
 3.  NAME: Shauna COONS-5228
---- BORN:        1980          PLACE:
 F   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                      PLACE:
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 4.  NAME:
---- BORN:                      PLACE:
     CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                      PLACE:
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HUSBAND Daryl COONS-5225 Yr of Birth 1947
WIFE Mary Susan BUDIK-1049 Yr of Birth 1972

HUSBAND - Daryl COONS-5225
Doc: Mo-in-law Gloria Budik

WIFE - Mary Susan BUDIK-1049
Doc: Mo Gloria Budik

Divorced "years ago". Lives in Coon Rapids, MN

Journalist, writes publicity

CHILD 1 - Tama COONS-5226
Doc: Grmthr Gloria Budik

CHILD 2 - Jeremy COONS-5227
Doc: Grmthr Gloria Budik

CHILD 3 - Shauna COONS-5228
Doc: Grmthr Gloria Budik

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-1172

HUSBAND Martin HEISEL-4027

BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: 29 May 1988 PLACE: Seattle,King,WA
FATHER:
MOTHER:

WIFE Terry Jean BUDIK-1055

BORN: 7 Oct 1960 PLACE: Redwood Falls,Redwood,MN
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER: David BUDIK-563 PARENTS' MRIN: 294
MOTHER: Jean Margaret UNZEITIG-1054

CHILDREN

1. NAME: Caitlyn Irene HEISEL-4026
---- BORN: 22 Oct 1990 PLACE: Seattle,King,WA
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

2. NAME: Cory Jean HEISEL-4025
---- BORN: 30 Jun 1992 PLACE: Seattle,King,WA
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

3. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

4. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

HUSBAND	Martin HEISEL-4027	Yr of Birth
WIFE	Terry Jean BUDIK-1055	Yr of Birth 1960

HUSBAND - Martin HEISEL-4027
Doc: Family rec.

WIFE - Terry Jean BUDIK-1055
Doc: Father's letter. Living in Orchard, Colorado

CHILD 1 - Caitlyn Irene HEISEL-4026
Doc: Family rec.

CHILD 2 - Cory Jean HEISEL-4025
Doc: Family rec.

HUSBAND: [illegible]

BORN [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]
CHR PLACE:
DIED PLACE:
BURI PLACE:
MARR [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]
FATHER: [illegible] MOTHER: [illegible]

WIFE [illegible]

BORN PLACE:
CHR PLACE:
DIED PLACE:
BURI PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

CHILDREN

1. [illegible]
BORN [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]
CHR PLACE:
DIED PLACE:
BURI PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR PLACE:

2. [illegible]
BORN [illegible] PLACE: [illegible]
CHR PLACE:
DIED PLACE:
BURI PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR PLACE:

3. NAME:
BORN PLACE:
CHR PLACE:
DIED PLACE:
BURI PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR PLACE:

4. NAME:
BORN PLACE:
CHR PLACE:
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BURI PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR PLACE:

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                                    FAMILY GROUP RECORD-1171
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HUSBAND Jay David BUDIK-1056
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BORN:    7 Oct 1961          PLACE: Redwood Falls,Redwood,MN
CHR.:                        PLACE:
DIED:                        PLACE:
BUR.:                        PLACE:
MARR:   18 Sep 1982          PLACE: Denver,Denver,CO
FATHER: David BUDIK-563                                                           PARENTS' MRIN: 294
MOTHER: Jean Margaret UNZEITIG-1054
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WIFE    Catherine CULBERSON-4024
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BORN:                        PLACE:
CHR.:                        PLACE:
DIED:                        PLACE:
BUR.:                        PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:
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CHILDREN
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 1.  NAME: David Jay BUDIK-4023
---- BORN:  9 Mar 1987          PLACE: Denver,Denver,CO
 M   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                      PLACE:
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 2.  NAME: Nicole Marie BUDIK-4044
---- BORN: 28 Feb 1991          PLACE: Denver,Denver,CO
 F   CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE:
     MARR:                      PLACE:
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 3.  NAME:
---- BORN:                      PLACE:
     CHR.:                      PLACE:
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
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DOCUMENTATION

HUSBAND Jay David BUDIK-1056 Yr of Birth 1961
WIFE Catherine CULBERSON-4024 Yr of Birth

HUSBAND - Jay David BUDIK-1056
Doc: Family rec. Lives in Thornton, Colorado

WIFE - Catherine CULBERSON-4024
Doc: Family rec.

CHILD 1 - David Jay BUDIK-4023
Doc: Family rec.

CHILD 2 - Nicole Marie BUDIK-4044
Doc: Family rec.

This FGR also in Leverson file

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HUSBAND Levor HERBRANDSEN-155
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BORN:     Dec 1803          PLACE: Mylie,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
CHR.:   26 Dec 1803         PLACE: Parish Church,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
DIED:   22 Sep 1846         PLACE: Spring Valley,Rock,Wis.
BUR.:   26 Sep 1846         PLACE: LutherValleyChch,Plymouth Twp.,Rock Co.,Wis.
MARR:                       PLACE:
FATHER: Herbrand Henrichsen MYLIE-3046                                         PARENTS' MRIN: 826
MOTHER: Aase Levorsdatter GARNAAS-3047
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WIFE    Guro CHRISTIANSDATTER-156
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BORN:          1799         PLACE: Garnaas,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
CHR.:                       PLACE:
DIED:   Aft    1880         PLACE: ,,Wis.
BUR.:                       PLACE:                                             has other marriages
FATHER: Christian Levorsen GARNAAS-3078                                        PARENTS' MRIN: 835
MOTHER: Guri Knudsdatter GUDBRANDSRUD-3079
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CHILDREN
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 1.  NAME: Aase LEVORSDATTER-3052
---- BORN:    Mar 1829        PLACE: Mylie,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
 F   CHR.: 23 May 1829        PLACE: Parish Church,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
     DIED:                    PLACE: ,,,USA
     BUR.:                    PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Guttorm OLSEN-3153                                                MRIN: 875
     MARR: 10 Jun 1851        PLACE: Parsonage,Plymouth Twp.,Rock Co.,Wis.
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 2.  NAME: Herbrand LEVERSON-144
---- BORN: 25 Jan 1831        PLACE: Mylie,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
 M   CHR.: 28 Feb 1831        PLACE: Parish Church,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
     DIED: 25 Mar 1912        PLACE: Kimball Twp.,Jackson Co.,Minn.
     BUR.:                    PLACE: Christiania Cem.,Belmont Twp.,Jackson Co.,Minn.
     SPOUSE: Kari Andersdatter LANDE-145                                       MRIN: 31
     MARR:  2 Nov 1854        PLACE: EastKoshkonongCh,Christiana Twp.,Dane Co.,Wis.
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 3.  NAME: Christian LEVORSEN-3053
---- BORN:    Oct 1833        PLACE: Mylie,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
 M   CHR.:  6 Nov 1833        PLACE: Parish Church,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
     DIED: Aft    1893        PLACE: Spring Valley,Rock,Wis.
     BUR.:                    PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Ingeborg Karine Larsdatter FOSSUM-3156                            MRIN: 876
     MARR: Abt    1855        PLACE: ,,Wis.
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 4.  NAME: Guri LEVORSDATTER-3157
---- BORN:         1835       PLACE: Mylie,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
 F   CHR.:                    PLACE: ,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
     DIED:                    PLACE: ,,Wis.
     BUR.:                    PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Ole EVANSON-3158                                                  MRIN: 877
     MARR: Bef    1860        PLACE:
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HUSBAND Levor HERBRANDSEN-155                                                       Yr of Birth 1803
WIFE    Guro CHRISTIANSDATTER-156                                                   Yr of Birth 1799
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CHILDREN (continued)
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 5. NAME: Ingeborg LEVORSDATTER-3159
---- BORN:        1838          PLACE: Mylie,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
 F   CHR.:                      PLACE: ,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
     DIED:                      PLACE: ,,Minn.
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Knud CHRISTIANSEN-3160                                                  MRIN: 878
     MARR: Bef   1860           PLACE: ,,Wis.
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 6. NAME: Knud LEVORSEN-3183
---- BORN:        1842          PLACE: Mylie,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
 M   CHR.:                      PLACE: ,Nes i Hallingdal,Buskerud,Norway
     DIED:                      PLACE:
     BUR.:                      PLACE:
     SPOUSE: Kari (Caroline)-3195                                                    MRIN: 894
     MARR:                      PLACE:
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WIFE Guro CHRISTIANSDATTER-156 Yr of Birth 1799

HUSBAND - Levor HERBRANDSEN-155

B/Chr: PR Nes Buskerud MF 0123840 b.5 1787-1807. 1803 pg 282# 15. FHLC,S.L.C. Parents:"Herbrand Henrichsen og Aase Levorsdtr.Mylie. Witnesses:"Kari Aaltverz(?), Ragne Bordnas,Steengrim, Thore Olsen og Peder Garnaas." Name Levord on his christening record & those of his children. (In other words, on church documents). Always Levor in civil documents. Named for his mother's father Levor Knudsen Garnaas (RIN# 3065) .His mother's mother, Ragne Steengrimsdatter Bortnas (RIN# 3066) was one of the witnesses for his christening, also Peder Garnaas, another witness, is his mother's brother, one of his two uncles by that name.

Confirmation: 14 Jan 1821, PR Nes Buskerud (Luther Valley Kirke Bog #71))

Emigration: Port of Drammen,Norway May 1843; arrived NYC July 1843.Passenger list (G.Naeseth ref#223) confirms name of ship was Johanna & he was accompanied by his wife & six children. Also accompanied by brother Ole (RIN # 3182).

Intent to Naturalize: Rock Co. Reg.Deeds Vol I p 50 21 Mar 1845 (copy of papers in file--note beautiful flourishing signature at a time when most applicants signed with a mark). Application is to the Territory of Wisconsin, states he was born in Norway in the Kingdom of Sweden, renounces all loyalty to said King, emigrated from the port of Drammen, Sweden (presently in Norway); stated destination was Plymouth Twp., Rock Co., Wis.

Land & Property: Rock Co. C.H.,Reg. Deeds,Deed Book 67, p39,Certificate No. 16.469. United States to Herbrandson The United States of America

To all whom these presents shall come Greeting. Whereas Levor Herbrandsen, of Rock County, Wisconsin Territory has deposited in the General Land Office of the United Stated a Certificate of the Register of the Land Office at Milwaukee whereby it appears that full payment has been made by the said Levor Herbrandsen according to the provisions of the Act of Congress of the 24th of April 1820 entitled "An Act making further provision for the sale of the Public Lands" for the North West Quarter of the South East Quarter of Section twenty five in Township Two West of Range Ten East in the District of lands subject to sale at Milwaukee Wisconsin Territory containing forty acres. according to the Official ___________the Survey of the said lands returned to the General Land Office by the Surveyor General, which said Tract has been purchased by the said Levor Herbrandsen in consideration of the premises, and in conformity with the several Acts of Congress in such case made and provided have given and granted and by these presents do give and grant unto the said Levor Herbrandsen and to his heirs the said tract above described.: To have and to hold the same, together with all the rights, privileges, immunities and appertanences of whatsoever nature thereunto belonging, unto the said Levor Herbandsen and to his heirs and assigns forever. In Testimony Whereof I, James K. Polk, President of the United States of America have caused these letters to be made Patent, and the Seal of the General Land Office to be hereunto affixed. Given under my hand at the City of Washington the first day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty eight and of the Independence of the United States the seventy second. By the President James K. Polk By J.K. Stephens Asst. Secy. (signed) S.N.

Laughlin Recorder of the General Land Office

Actually took possession of land 8 Feb 1845 (Map, p 99, Abstract of Lands, Town of Spring Valley, Rock Co. C.H.). Took adjoining Southwest quarter of Southeast quarter 22 Aug 1846. (Same map). Patent issued to " Levor Erberan" 10 Feb 1848 (Deed Book 45, p 194).

Historical Note: Wisconsin became a territory in its own name in 1836, and was still a territory when theis family settled in Rock Co. (It became a state in 1848). Most of the early settlement was along Lake Michigan or in the Rock River valley.

JGF recorded an impression of this area on 17 June 1991, when he & RKF explored the site. His notes read " Orfordsville is a pleasant town of some 1100 souls 14 mi. W & slightly S of Janesville. Two miles S on county road K, one comes to an intersection with a paved section road heading due W. This is the SE corner of Sect 25, Spring Valley Twp. The lands of Levor Herbrandsen start at a point 0.25 mi W along the section road & run to the 0.5 mi point. They extend 0.5 mi N; i.e., the W 1/2 of SE 1/4, Sect. 25."

"This part of Rock Co. is hilly, but not so much so that most of it can be corn fields & pasture. There are large clumps of trees around farm houses & streams and some entire sections have been allowed to go back to nature. These are dense--almost impenetrable--forests of hardwoods, some with trunks more than a foot in diameter, and thick underbrush. This second growth shows how thickly forested this part of Wisconsin must have been when the first settlers arrived and the incredible labor that went into clearing the land before it could be farmed. Although the soil looks fertile & the corn is already high, the farmhouses in this area are rather modest, and many are pretty seedy. They do not look as prosperous as the farmhouses around Jackson, Minn., & LeMars, Ia. Perhpas this might explain why RKF's ancestors moved west to the rolling plains of southern Minnesota."

Further historical background was excerpted by RKF from the History of Rock County (1856) in the library of Rock Co. Historical Society, Janesville. Excerpts relating to the Town of Plymouth (Twp immediately E of Spring Valley Twp) because this was the site of many early family marriages & very near Levor's land. Page 123: " The Town of Plymouth is well adapted to the raising of wheat. It also has extensive meadows yielding an inexhaustible supply of the best native grass for stock. It has two railroads passing throuh it, crossing each other at a point on Bass Creek nearly in its geographical center on Section 14 where there is water power capable of driving two run of stone. The grist mill is already erected & is expected to be doing business early in the coming season. It is expected a large business will be done here as soon as the two roads are completed and in active operation as each will build a depot at this point."

"Plymouth contains 3 villages: Bass Creek, Footville, & Bornits. They are all yet in their infancy......[Describes Bass Creek & Footville]....Bornits is a village lying on the south line of the town in Section 33. It is settled by some very gentlemanly citizens from Norway. It comprises a few commodious stone dwellings, a printing office with a power press. a parsonage, etc., etc.

It lioes in the heart of a splendid farming country on Section 33. Here rich & beautifully undulating prairies and abundant groves are marked with innumerable perennial springs whose waters form beautiful rivulets that discharge themselves into Coon Creek, one of the tributaries of the Sugar River........" One additional note , listed under Norwegian Paper, specifies that "The Emmigranten, a Norwegian newspaper, is published in this town at a Norwegian village called Bornits".

Page 125-6, same volume, describes Spring Valley as follows " This town contains very little prairie. Its surface is gently undulating and covered with a scattering growth of large bur oaks, with more or less hickory, and altogether a very good agricultural town, well watered, well wooded, a good productive soil with a reasonable portion of good, natural meadow for cutting hay, making it altogether a very desirable location for a farmer who wishes the conveniences [Ital.] for a farm-rather than to have an extensive one. The Southern Wisconsin Railroad will pass-through this town and will have a station here. {Note: This turned out to be apocryphal. The RR bypassed Spring Valley, & that may explain its demise as a town} They have in this town one store, one tavern, kept by Col. E. Clapp { one of the first settlers, who fought in the War of 1812} and Dr. S.W. Abbot, & a post office. The population of this town in 1850 was 766; in 1855 it was 1,006. It has 10 school districts & 6 school houses. The number of scholars is 351. This town receives the sum of $275 from the state school fund the present year. "

" Churches: A Free Will Baptist, a Primitive Methodist and a Presbyterian have been organized & have each started preaching, although neither have a church building. Quite a portion of this town is settled by Norwegians, who make very good citizens. Many of them are quite large farmers. They are uniformly Lutherans in their religion."

This, then is the land where Levor established his family in the new world. Unfortunately he, himself, did not live long enough to see any of the described development. (He had been dead 10 years when this history was written). But his children lived in this area for a number of years. (Some of them may have been part of the school population described above)

Church: Levor assisted in the organization of Luther Valley Lutheran Church, Newark Twp.,Rock Co., Wis. Church is less than a quarter of a mile across the boundary between the old Parsonage, which was in Plymouth Co., and which served as the first center for church activities until the church itself was completed and ready to be used in the fall of 1845. The first register of the parish is entitled " Kirke Bog for Den Norske Lutherske Meninghed ved Rock Prarier, Rock County, Wisconsin Territory, North America". The first part of Book I is an Index in which all church members are recorded alphabetically by given name as they entered the church either through proof of previous Lutheran church membership, by confirmation, or as members of the family of an accepted member. The Index is hand-written in a beautiful, small script. The Index ends in 1856 and has a total of 1101 names of individuals and CLVIII families.

Levor was accepted on 22 Dec 1845 as Member # 71, Family # XVI. Family members listed under his name were: Guro Christiansdatter, Christian (Son), Guri (Datter), Ingeborg (Datter), Knud (Son). Herbrand & Aase are not listed with

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the family, probably because they were listed as members of the beginning Confirmation class.

Death & Burial: Rock Co. Vital Records Vol. 1 pg 428 #7. Luther Valley Luther Valley Church Records Book I No. 7 Doc G. Grubolt Dod vie Begravne No. 7. 26 Sept 1846. This means he was the 7th burial & was buried in Plot #7. The first 6 plots were occupied by very small children & infants who had died within the same week.

Probate: Official Index at Rock Co. Courthouse. Old records housed at Rock Co. Historical Society. File # 137: Herbrandsen, Lavora---file folder was empty. no indication of what might have been in it.

File # 12066 Court Record Z Page 52. Herbrandsen, Levor. Quit Claim Deed 20 Jan 1855 (Deed Book Z, p 265) & Warranty Deed 8 Mar 1860 (Deed Book 45, p 452) documents sale of land jointly held by Levor's widow and six children to his son Herbrand Levorsen. Copies in file, entire brief recorded in Herbrand Leverson FGR #144.

Levor died intestate. Working assumption is his death was by an accident. The brutal work of clearing and preparing and farming that land makes it easy to imagine the scenario by which he might have met his untimely end. The fact that he took possession of additional land only a month before his death strongly suggests that he was actively at work developing his claims, and not ill or anticipating his death.

WIFE - Guro CHRISTIANSDATTER-156

B\Chr:N chr. doc.to date. 1801 Census Nes (MicroFiche 6200776)lists her as Guro on farm Garnaas, 2 yrs old. May have been born there or family may have moved there between her birth & the census. Family lived on Garnaas farm until they moved to Dokken farm some time between 1805 (Brother Ole's confirmation as Garnaas) & 1809 (Brother Knud's confirmation as Dokken). [Very likely her father died & mother remarried]

Name: Earliest records list her as Guro Christiansdatter. On Confirmation record she is Guro Jonsdatter. After immigration she dropped her farm name & was called Guro Christiansdatter. On Levor's probate records, on second marriage record & both censuses is Guro. Death certificate for her son Herbrand filed in Jackson Co., Minn., lists her as Carrie Garness. Either Julia or Carrie or Caroline were common Anglizations of the name Guro, but as yet have uncovered no other documents which list her by any name other than Guro.

Confirmation: PR Nes, Buskerud MF 123840 17739 Pt.2 pg199#7 8 Dec 1817:"Guro Jonsdatter.Dokken. Gud." [Gud means she did well in the content of the confirmation process].Date fits age on census. Need to research death,burial, probate records for father's possible death & mother's possible remarriage to man named Jon to explain why she is listed as "Jonsdatter".

Marriage: No marriage record found to date of first marriage to Levor. Christening records of her children, ship's passenger list Johanna (G. Naeseth Ref#223) state she is Levor's wife.

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Doc. second marriage G. Naeseth Ref. #223. Listed on 1850 Wis. Census for Spring Valley, Rock Co.(MFM 317 Un 3) as Guro Johnson, age 49., which would make her birth date 1801. But see 1801 Norwegian Census listed above.

D/Bur:No record to date. Search of church & civil records in Rock Co., including Luther Valley Church, through 1900, has not as yet produced doc. of her death. (Death records were very spotty from 1872 to 1882. No funerals were listed for 1873-76.) The 1870 Wis. Census for Spring Valley (MFM 317.75 Un3 W) shows Guro Leverson, age 72 {that would make her birth year 1798}, living with her grandson Canute Leverson, age 26. The 1880 Wis. Census for Spring Valley, Rock Co., shows Guro Lever, age 79 {Birth year 1801}, living with Knud Lever, age 30, and his family. Working theory is that both these are her. One other possibility is that she might be found under her 2nd married name, Guro Johnson. Obviously, more research is needed to find her in her later years & establish her death.

Other marriages:
18 Jun 1848 John JOHNSSEN-3165

CHILD 1 - Aase LEVORSDATTER-3052

B/Chr: MF 123840 pt2 1823-34 Nes i Hallingdal Buskerud. Parents:"Levord Henrichsen og Guro Christiansdtr. Myhlie". Witnesses:"Margrit ____ Myhlie, Peder Aalthon, Randi, Guro Erdal"

Emigration: Port of Drammen, Norway May 1843, on ship Johanna, age 14, with family (G. Naeseth ref#223/ pass. list)

Confirmation: 19 Nov 1848 entered in Luther Valley Member Index # 695 as Aase Levorsdatter Mylie, Pige {Norwegian for girl}

Named for her father's mother, Aase Levorsdatter Garnaas (RIN #3047). In land record dated 1860 name is given as "Osey", which approximates English phonetic pronunciation of Aase; sometime before 1867, according to references to her in the land records named below, she began to call herself "Elizabeth".

Land & Property: Upon her father's death in 1846 she, along with her 5 siblings & her mother, inherited the property which had been patented to her father. In 1855 her mother, she, & 4 of her siblings quit-claimed the same land to her brother Herbrand Levorsen . (See Herbrand Levorsen FGR# 144 for details)

She & her husband moved to Mower Co., Minnesota, sometime before 15 June 1860 according to affadavit signed by Justice of the Peace Enid Bassett

Marriage: Marriage Reg. Vol B 1848-69 pg 173, Rock Co., Wis. Witnesses: F. Ingebrettsen, Asle Nielsen. Pastor: C.L. Clausen

CHILD 2 - Herbrand LEVERSON-144

Birth/Chr:MF Parish Register Buskerud 0123841 Nes 8 1823-24 Vesterheim Genealogical Center & LDS FHLC. Witnesses: "Siver Aulthon, Erik Aarigaarden, Levor, Ole {father's brothers},Gunaar Ingeborg O___". Named for father's father Death record gives birth date different from parish record (that date 1 Jan 1831); death record accepted as more accurate.

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Name: According to custom, named for his father's father. Typical of many Norwegian immigrants, in his early adulthood he began to use surnames and even given names other than his birth name & patronymic. Early civil records, i.e. marriage, census returns & land records list him under many variations of his name. In his father's land records, his church marriage record & in one land record (1858), he is listed as Herbrand Levorsen or Levordsen. But the name he most commonly used in land records in 1854, 1856, 1861, 1864 & 1867 is Abram Lever or Abraham Lever. Some time, probably after he moved to Minnesota, he began to call himself Herbert Leverson, and that's the name he used for the remainder of his life. His brothers & he began the use of the name Leverson for the family which has been used by all later descendents.

Emigration: May 1843 from Port of Drammen, Norway on ship Johanna at age 12 with family;arrived in New York City in July 1843 (Doc:Father's Intent to Naturalize certificate. Copy in file). Also G. Naeseth Ref # 223) Settled with family in Spring Valley.

Confirmation: Luther Valley Church Member Index (Orig.in church office titled " Kirke Bog for Den Norsk Lutherske Meninghed ved Rock Pramer 1846-1856) # 690 as Herbrand Levorsen Mylie, Ungkar (Bachelor) when confirmed 19 Nov 1848

Marriage: Dane Co. Reg. Deeds, Marriage Reg. Vol.#1 June 12, 1852 to April 29, 1858 Page 180 #2. His Father:Levor Herbrandsen. His Mother: Guro Christiansd. His Occupation: Blank. His Residence: Christiana Twp. Dane Co. Birthplace: Norway. Wife's name: Kari Anderson. Her Father: Andreas Helliksen. Her Mother: Berit Gullaksd. Where Married: Christiana Twp. Minister: A.C. Preus (Asst. Pastor East Koshkonong Church 1850-1860. Note this is parish of Kari's parents)

Residence: Note Herbrand's residence at time of wedding was Christiana Twp. Kari & Herbrand lived in Dane Co., probably with her parents, until first baby, Levor was born in Jan 1855. They then moved back to Spring Valley, Rock Co., and lived there until about 1862. From then until about 1864-65 they lived in Deerfield, Dane Co., Wis., then moved to Mower Co., Minn., where they lived until about 1873-74. They moved to Kimball Twp. in Jackson Co., Minn. before their last child, Helmer, was born in 1874. In the 1880 Minn. Census they were living in Petersburg Twp., Jackson Co. They stayed in Jackson Co. for the remainder of their lives. According to his death certificate, he was living in Kimball Twp. at the time of his death.In addition to the documentation in land records, this chronology also corresponds to the 1850 Wis. & the 1860 & 1870 Minn. censuses. (See file)

Land & Property: 1855 Deed Book Z, p 265, Rock Co. C.H. is Quit Claim Deed:

Guro Christiansdatter Aase Levorsdatter Christian Levorsen Guri Levorsdatter Ingeborg Levorsdatter Knudt Levorsen to Herbrand Levorsen. This indenture made this twentieth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty five (record underlined to show forty is error. Correct date no doubt fifty five) between Guro Christiansdatter Aase Levorsdtr. Christian Levorsen Guri Levorsdtr. Ingeborg Levorsdtr. and Knud Levorsen of town of Spring Valley in the County of Rock and State of Wisconsin parties of the first

part and Herbrand Levorsen of the Town of Spring Valley in the County of Rock and State of Wisconsin party of the second part. Witnesseth that the said party of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of One Thousand and six dollars lawful money of the United States to them in hand paid by receipt of which is hereby acknowledged have remised released and quit claimed and by these presents do remiss and quit claim unto the siad party of the second part his heirs and assigns forever all of the following tracts of landsituate and being in the County of Rock state of Wisconsinand known and described as follows to wit: the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of Section No twenty five (25) in township No two (2) north of range ten (10) East also the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section No thirty (30) in township No two (2) north of range eleven (11) east and said tracts of land hereby conveyed containing eighty acres and thirteen hundredths according to the United States Survey To have and to hold the same togetherwith all and singularly the appertenances and privileges thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining and all the estate right title interest and claim whatsoever of the said party of the first part either in law or equity to the only properuse benefit and behoof of the said party of the second part his heirs and assign forever . In Witness whereof the said party of the first part have hereunto set their hands and seals on the day and year first above written. Document is signed with LS & the marks of each family member. Executed in presence of K.J. Fleischer & Ole Gulliksen Mogshe. Under that is another paragraph: State of Wisconsin Rock Co. On thirtieth day of January A.D. 1855 came before me K.J. Fleischer a Justice of the Peace in and for said county the above named grantors and acknowledged the execution of the foregoing deed freely and voluntarily for the uses and purposes therein mentioned. Signed K.J. Fleischer. Recorded January 31st 1855 at 2 o'clock P.M. C R Gibbs Register By O. Densmon Deputy. (Copy of document in file)

A later Warranty Deed (Deed Book 45, p 452) was executed 8 Mar 1860, and is another conveyance by the siblings of Herbrand, along with their spouses, which repeats and amplifies the amount of land they sold to him but is otherwise very much a repition of the above. (Copy this document in file). Interesting points this document: The total amount of land conveyed is one hundred acres, and includes, in total: The South half of the NorthWest Quarter of the NorthWest quarter of section No. Thirty (30) in Township No. Two (2) North of Range No. Eleven (11) East-containing twenty (20) acres- And the Southwest quarter of the Northwest quarter of said section No. Thirty (30) in Township No. Two (2) North of Range No. Eleven (11) East, containing Forty (40) acres-Also theSouth West quarter of the South East quarter of Section No. Twenty five (25) in Township No.Two (2) North of Range No. Ten (10) East, containing Forty (40) acres. (Plat map marked with above property in file). The sum of money specified paid by Herbrand is the same as in the first document, One thousand eight hundred and six dollars.

The last interesting information in this last document is the information it gives about the names of all the spouses of Levor's children, all of which are recorded on their individual FGRs.

Death/Burial: Death Records Jackson Co., Book E. "Herbran Leverson. B.1-25-1831 D. 3-25-1912. Kimball Twp. Farmer. Cause of death : "Chronic nephritis (2 yr. duration). Born Norway. Father: Levi Leverson. Mother: Carrie Garness.

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CHILD 3 - Christian LEVORSEN-3053

B/Chr:MF 123840 pt 2 1823-34 Nes i Hallingdal Buskerud. Parents"Levord Herbrandsen Guro Christiansdtr. Mylie". Witnesses" Ingeborg Thora(?) Ole og Fingar Thor. Margrit Braaten"

Named for mother's father, Christian Levorsen Garnaas (RIN #3078). Sometimes used name "Christ", sometimes in land records "Christ Lever."

Able to sign his name on all known documents (1861-1864-1867-893--see Herbrand Leverson (FGR# 144) & Levor Herbrandsen (FRG# 155) files for doc.

Confirmation: Entered in Luther Valley Church Reg. Book I, #738, as Christian Levorsen Mylie, Ungkar (Bachelor) on 12 Apr 1849

Emigration: Port of Drammen, Norway with family, age 10, on ship Johanna (G. Naeseth ref #223./pass. list)

Marriage: Warranty Deed Rock Co. Levorsen et al to H. Levorsen (See H. Levorsen FGR #31). Also christening records of his children

Land & Property: Rock Co. Reg. Deeds Vol. 49 p 177. Property conveyed by warranty deed dated 17 October 1861 & recorded 19 October 1861: S.W 1/4 of the N.W. 1/4 of Section 30 , Town 2, North of Range 11, East, town of Plymouth, Rock Co., Wis.; conveyed by Abraham Levorson to Christian Levorson. (This is part of the lane Death: Listed in Rock Co. originally warranted to Levor Herbrandsen in 1847)

Land Records (Deed Vol 132,p 36 Indenture 13 April 1893)as Widower, signed deed

CHILD 4 - Guri LEVORSDATTER-3157

B/Chr: Birth date from passenger list Johanna when she emigrated Norway with family May 1843 (G. Naeseth ref #223/pass. list)

Named for mother's mother Guri Knudsdatter Gudbrandsrud (RIN #3079). Some time before 1867, apparently began to call herself " Julia".

Confirmation: Entered in Luther Valley Church Register, Book I, #754, as Guri Levorsdatter Mylie, Pige (Girl), 12 Apr 1849

Marriage: Quit Clain & Warranty Deeds Levorsen et al to H. Levorsen dated 8 Mar 1860, Rock Co.(copies on file Herbrand Levorsen FGR # 31)

Residence: Lived in Rock Co. after marriage at least until mid-1867, when she & her siblings quit-claimed part of their inherited property to their widowed mother for the sum of $1. (Rock Co. Reg.Deeds Vol 67 p 441 Indenture 22 Apr 1867 recorded 17 May 1867)

CHILD 5 - Ingeborg LEVORSDATTER-3159

B/Chr: Passenger list of ship Johanna when she emigrated with family at age 5 from Norway in May 1843. (G. Naeseth Ref. # 223/Pass list)

HUSBAND Levor HERBRANDSEN-155 Yr of Birth 1803
WIFE Guro CHRISTIANSDATTER-156 Yr of Birth 1799

May have been named for her paternal great-grandmother, Ingeborg Olsdatter (RIN # 3056) . Some time before 1867, apparently began to call herself "Isabel", so named on court record that date (Rock Co.Reg.Deeds Vol 67 p441)

Named in Rock Co. Warranty Deed at time of father's death. Also named in Luther Valley Church First Book 1846-1859 as daughter in father's family when he became member 22 Dec 1845 (#71)

Marriage: Husband listed on Warranty Deed H. Levorsen dated 8 Mar 1860.

Residence: Living in Waseca Co., Minnesota in 1867 (deposition Justice of the Peace P.G. Bailey that county attached to above named deed). Presumed to have died in Minn. pending further research.

CHILD 6 - Knud LEVORSEN-3183

B/Chr: G.Naeseth Ref. 223 lists him as 9 month old baby in May 1843. 1870 Wis.

1870 Wis Census Spring Valley Dwelling #4 Fam. #5 : Leverson, Guro, age 72, Keeping house, b. Norway; Canute Levorsen, age 26, Farmer, b. Norway.

1880 Wis. Census Spring Valley p 13 Dwell. # 124 Fam.# 124 : Knud Lever, age 30, Farmer,b. Norway; Caroline Lever, age 27, Keeping house, b. Wis.; Levi Lever, age 5, Son, b. Wis.; Julia Lever, age 4, Daughter, b. Wis.; Clara Lever, age 2, Daughter, b. Wis.; Thomas Lever, age 10/12 (Aug), Son, b. Wis.; Goro, age 79, Mother, widowed, b. Norway. RKF believes Guro is her Gr.Gr. Grandmother Guro Christiansdatter (RIN# 156)

Emigration: Listed on Passenger List of ship Johanna when emigrated from Port of Drammen, Norway, with family in May 1843. (G. Naeseth Ref. # 223)

Marriage: 1880 Census (above) gives names of wife & family

Death: Gerhard Naeseth believes he died 19 Sep 1865, age 23 & is buried in Luther Valley Cemetary. Further research by RKF, including land & census records, lead to working theory that the young man who died that date (RIN#3162) is not her ancestor, but rather member of family of Levor Hendricksen, FGR # 890 (very likely a relative of Levor Herbrandsen).

Also, Luther Valley Church Rec. Book 2 pt. 2 gives death of a Knud Lever, 23 Sep 1884, age 38, birthplace Vang, Norway. Neither the age or birthplace fits RKF ancestor. More research needed to determine whether this could be the Knud Levorsen born to this family.

Second Marriage

Guro Christiansdatter

to

John Johnssen

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His Family

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HUSBAND John JOHNSSEN-3165
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BORN:                        PLACE: Brostrud,,,Norway
CHR.:                        PLACE:
DIED:                        PLACE:
BUR.:                        PLACE:
MARR:  Abt    1830           PLACE: ,,,Norway                                                               has other marriages
FATHER:
MOTHER:
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WIFE
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BORN:                        PLACE:
CHR.:                        PLACE:
DIED:                        PLACE:
BUR.:                        PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:
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CHILDREN
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 1. NAME: Julia JOHNSSEN-3282
---- BORN:        1831         PLACE: ,,,Norway
 F  CHR.:                      PLACE:
    DIED:                      PLACE:
    BUR.:                      PLACE:
    SPOUSE:
    MARR:                      PLACE:
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 2. NAME: Tolef JOHNSSEN-3283
---- BORN:        1842         PLACE: ,,,Norway
 M  CHR.:                      PLACE:
    DIED:                      PLACE:
    BUR.:                      PLACE:
    SPOUSE:
    MARR:                      PLACE:
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 3. NAME:
---- BORN:                     PLACE:
    CHR.:                      PLACE:
    DIED:                      PLACE:
    BUR.:                      PLACE:
    SPOUSE:
    MARR:                      PLACE:
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 4. NAME:
---- BORN:                     PLACE:
    CHR.:                      PLACE:
    DIED:                      PLACE:
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    SPOUSE:
    MARR:                      PLACE:
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HUSBAND John JOHNSSEN-3165 Yr of Birth
WIFE Yr of Birth

HUSBAND - John JOHNSSEN-3165

1850 Census lists him as John Johnson, age 51, Farmer, born Norway. Wife Guro Johnson, age 49. His two children: Tulif (probably Tolef) Johnson, age 8; Julia Johnson, age 19. Also listed are :Helbron Lewison, age 20; Christian Lewison, age 18; Knute Lewison, age 8; Osey Lewison, age 21; Julia Lewison, age 16; Yugbu Lewison, age 11. (Obviously these are Guro's Levorsen children)

Other marriages:
18 Jun 1848 Guro CHRISTIANSDATTER-156

WIFE -

CHILD 1 - Julia JOHNSSEN-3282

B/Chr:MFM 317 Un 3 1850 Wis. Census Rock Co. Town of Spring Valley, 19 yrs old, name given-"Julia Johnson"

CHILD 2 - Tolef JOHNSSEN-3283

B/Chr:MFM 317 Un3 1850 Wis. Census Spring Valley Rock Co. Fam# 706 Age 8, born Norway, name listed "Tulif Johnson"